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Local Matters.

For Earlier Mails,

Postmauler Builingalne is dolug all be can to aid the people of Newport in jettling an earlier morning mail. He has made several auggestions to the depariment, and also to the Board of Trade. All or any of them seem good, One simple solution that he suggests is te have the General leave Wiczford on: the arrival of the last night mush train, and have a contract made with Captain Champion or come other laur ch owner to follow with the papers. That would bring the General In from Yorky minutes to an hour earlier and the papers would get here at tife same time that they do now, The daly extra expense would be for the newspaper launch which the mewspaper proprietors could help make up.

Another suggestion is to have the mail go through to Providence, como down to Fall River on a train now leaving Providence at 5,00 s. m., and conthan that train to Newport. In this way the mail could be landed in the Newport postoffice at 6.30 a. m. There is ademand for an early train from Providence. It would also ato the Provideaco and Boston papers which now come in at 9.00 o'clock, several hours after the New York papers attive here. Some of these plans ought to be worked out and that speedily.

Although Newport was treated to a lively little tempest. Wednesday afternoon and evening, it was as nothing compared to that which visited other rails of the State, dealing a lo all sections except in Newport County. It was showery here all day, and at moon there, was quite a little rainfall for a few minutes. The sun came out clear during the afternoon however, and then again in the early evening another shower came along. At times the lightning was very vivid and there were several startling peals of hunder, but the most severe part of the storm worked around to the eastward and die not pass directly over the city at all. The total rainfell for the day was about a half-inch. Providence received the full fury of the moon storm, great damage being done by lightning. eral churches were struck and the telephone and atrest reliesy service were completely de noralized. A large tres in the yard of a former resident of News port was struck and devastated by a bolt of lightning. In Britis! County more damage was done by the high wind then by the lightning although the electrical disturbance was very severe there also.

The eighteenth trenutsi convention of the Supreme Conclave, Kuights of Sherwood Forest, will be held in this city, in August, 1915. The conventions are generally attended by about 200 delegates.

Mr. Ara Hildredth today reaches bis 83d birth day. He was born August 60, 1830. He to still hale and hearty, and is to be seen on the street every fair

The singles tournement at the Mianetuck Tennis Club has come to a conelusion, Mr. Henry F. Simmons winbing the championship.

Plane for a new hotel for Newport Will shortly be shown.

The Beach Season.

If good weather prevalls over Sunday and Labor Day the management of the Beach may have cause for much selfcongratulation. With good clear weather the crowds to Newport on those two days should be immense, and it practically means the end of the excursion season. For the part few years it has stormed very hard on Labor Day and the excursion business has amounted to nothing for that reaвор.

During the present aummer there has not been a stormy Bunday since the Beach was opened. Insemuch as Bundays are the days when the crowds turn out this means much for the recelpts at the Beach. Last summer practically every Sunday during August was storing and disagrecable and the change this year must have made au enormous difference in the gross recelpts. The Beach management is under heavy expense and needs the crowds to keep thlugs moving.

Last Sunday was a very good day at the Beach, although the crowde were not quite as large as on the previous Bunday which probably marked the high botch for the present summer. During the late afternoon when the excurrioulate had gone there was a very decided thinning out, but the attendauls were glad of a few moments of respite after a circuuous day. The couveution had is easily one of the most popular places on the Beach, affording au opportunity to rest and listen to excellent music and at the same time eat junction if one wishes. There are many luncheous eaten there, the Providence crowd especially coming well provided with tunch boxer.

Friday was the anniversary of the Battle of Rhode Island fought on August 29, 1778, between the British and American troops, and which has often been described by experts as the bestfought battle of the Revolution. The analyersary was observed by the patriutic recieties of Newport. William Ellary Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held a dinner and tea at the Beach, and a tea at the Historical fooms in the afternoon. The Rhode Island Society, Bons of the Revolution, held their annual banquet in the even ing at the Miantonomi Olub, with an attendance of about 35. Hon. Reswell B. Burchard, Lieutenant Governor of Ruode Island, was expected to be the principal speaker.

The long-projected plan of forming a veteran corps of the Newport Artillery is shout to be carried into effect. A meeting of former members of the command was held at the Armory on Wednesday evening and the matter was talked over. Those present were enthusiastic at the idea and there seemed no donot but that a strong organization could be gotten logether, A committee on by-laws was appointed and is now at work formulating a report to present at the next meeting. This committee consists of Marshall W. Hall, Max Levy, Andrew J. De-Biots, Joseph W. Gloson, and Robert B. Franklin.

It is stated that officials of the Navy Department at Washington are auxiour to increase largely the output of the beel Torpedo Station. It is said that the world's supply of good torpedoes is very small and that there are practically none to be purchased anywhere in case of need. The torpedces turned on at this factory are said to be the best in the world, and the matter on increasing the output will probably go before Coppress at an early date. Of course with its present equipment the Torpedo Station causet begin to keep up with the needs of the navy, and contracts have always been placed with private manufacturers to supply a large proportion of the torpedoes used.

The permanent lunch wagon on Washington square will soon be a thing of the past there. It will be installed on the little plat of land just off the Government Landing which was formerly the site of a storeroom for the Swinburns & Peckham Company, This oid building has been tora down and sawer and water connections are being installed by means of a tunnell under the cross walk on Thames attest, It is no smalt job to take up the heavy payement on Thames atreet to reach the underground conduite, so it is easler and cheaper to tunuel in from one

At the regular monthly meeting of the Park Commission on Tuesday aftermoon it was announced that Mrs. Lorillard Spencer wished to present to the city a drinking fountain for use in Klog parkway and also a bandeland for King park, both to be in memory of her husband, the late Lorillard Spencer. The offer was accepted with thanks. The commission also voted to change the name of Klog parkway to Spencer parkway, Col. Willard, the new member of the commission, was present and qualified as a member,

The Tennis Tournament.

The National Lawn Tennis Tourns. ment for 1918 came to a close on Tuesday : whou Maurice E. McLoughlin successfully defended his little to the champlouship by defeating R. Norris Williams 2nd in the presence of an immente gathering. The tournament has heen the most successful on record. The crowds have been enormous, the weather has been fine, and the contests have been marked by a susp and vigor that have kept the crowds in a constant thrill of excitment. This year there was not a day lost on account of had weather. There was a light shower on the opening day of the tournament, and again last Saturday morning, but neither interfered with the cenedule in the least. Compared with the tournsment a couple of years ago, when tain caused the postponement of the floals day after day until the speciators and players were alike disgusted and left the city, the difference is much appre-

The crowds this year have broken all records. The demand for seats was unprecedented and on the day of the finals, when some tickets found their way into the hands of speculators, a good premium was paid. The sight of the automobiles parked on all the streets around the Casino grounds on the cays of the contests has been a very impressive one. Jamestowo has futulehed her contingent as neugl and it has not been a small one. On the last day of the tournament, when the people, wanted to go back to Jameslown there was a line of automobiles that extended from the head of Ferry wharf across Thames street and up Mill street to the Coddington Se tool waiting for the ferry boat. Needless to any, they could not all go on one bout and it

meant a long wait for some of them. On Monday the semi-floats were played. Maurice E McLoughilu de fested Wallace F. Johnson without much difficulty, in three atraight sate, having difficulty 'in only the second one. R. Norris Williams needed four ests to beat N. W. Niles. Williams took the first and second sats, 6.4, 7.5, while Miles took the third, 6.3. The last set was the casiest one for Williams, the score standing 6-1 to bis favor, which gave him the match. The first three sets were baid fought throughout, but Niles weakened very perceptibly in the last.

The final contest on Tuesday between McLoughlin and Williams was brilliant in the extreme. The games were hard-fought from tirst to last, Williams proving tilmself a stalwart fighter but not quite the equal of McLoughliu, McLoughlin won the first set, Williams the second and then McLoughlio took the next two, giving him the champlouship again. The last set was the easiest of all the score for the four sets being, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3, 6-1.

Boclety has turned out in large numbera during the entire tournament. Many striking costumes have been seen in the boxes and the scene has been a brilliant one. There has been no complaint about the methods of conducting the tournament and everybody seems estisfied that Newport is the only place for these contests to be held. It is admitted, though, that a good hotel would be a great accommodation for the players, and speciators

Mayor MacLeod has appointed Col. J. H. Willard a member of the Park Commission to fill a vacancy, and the appointment gives universal satisfaction. Col. Willard is a Newporter through and through, but has seen enough of the world and its people to be liberal minded and the very opposite of provincial. He can be of great value to the city as a member of its Park Commission.

The marriage has been announced of Dr. Howard Mathers of this city and Miss Margaret Harris of Nova Scotia. The marriage took place in Hallfax last week. Mrs, Mathers was formerly a member of the Training School for Nurses connected with the Newport Hospital.

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. have ny'ted John Lantz, late of Elizabeth, N. J., to fill the office of general secre-(ary which was made vacual by the resignation of Secretary Chapin, Mr. Lantz has recently returned from Europe where he has been for neveral months.

Mr. Louis 8, Brugulera lost a'shirt containing some valuable atuda from a suit case last Sunday, and a few days later the jewels were returned to him through the mall. Whether it was all aloke or whether the thief became frightened is a mystery.

Mr. Foxali Keene, one of the ablest polo players in this country and a man well known in Newport, was hadly injured in a polo game at Colorado Springs on Wednesday. He suffered & fracture of the left shoulder and was badly bruised,

Kingston Fair.

Thirty-Eighth Amount County Fair Opens September leih

The management of the fair has contrived to make it an occurance of intereat and importance to numbers of pecple, not only in the south county, but throughout the state of Rhode Island, Eastern Connecticut and conthern Massachusetts. It is an event looked forward to with pleasure by thousands and the performances of past years fully guarantee that no one will be disappointed in bis expectations,

The executive committee report an increase in both the number and qualmy of exhibits in meanly every depart. ment. This is owing partly to the greatly increased amount of premiums ne prizes, as well as to the stendily tocreusing interest of farmers and others throughout Washington County.

One gain's a new appreciation and reapect for Rhode Island as an agricultural community in looking at the manifold displays of fruits and vegetables that occupy a big section of the exhibitors hall each year. Every fruit and vegetable possible to grow in this climate is represented and he is a blase mortal indeed who finds no cause for enthusiams in the well grown farm and orchard products.

The live stock entered for exhibition this year will also prove a valuable iustructive feature in demonstrating the ability of Rhode Islanders as cattle taleers. The vicinity of the stalls and pens is always one of the very popular parts of the Fair Grounds.

The free vaudeville shows which in past years has been a most pleasing and entertaining feature of the Fair, will be again . In evidence this year. Lovers of racing will find a perfect feast of pleasure arranged for them in the racolg schedule.

The entries show a larger number of fast horses than those of any previous year and it is expected that close beats will be run overy day of the Feir.

The usual days will be observed; that is the first day will be devoted entirely to showing the exhibitions, sgricultural, live stock, poultry, liouschold and dairy products fruits and vegetablee, flowers, and plants, textiles, art labor-saving inventions, and etc.

The second day, September 17 will be called Grauge Day, Appropriate exercises will be held in Exhibition Hail, and speakers of national note will be present to instruct and enter-

tain the patrons of the Fair on this day. Governor's Day on September 18 will he made notable as the occasion of aunual address, and remarks by lits Excellency Aram J. Pothier, Governor,

On the last day of the Fair, Septemher 19 the Fair will be thrown onen to the children. All children under fiftesu vents of age will be admitted free, "-Races and sports of every description dear to the hearts of the youngsters will be lu order. In fact the management is leaving no stone unturned to make this day one long to be remembered by the young folks of Rhode Island.

Jamestown and Portsmouth.

The tax books for the towns of Portsmouth and Jamestown have just been printed from the MERCURY OFFICE and are like everything printed there very fine looking books and contain much information of interest to the people generally. The tax rate in Pottemouth in \$6 on a \$1000 and that of Jamestown is \$10 on a \$1000. There are probably not many towns in the country that have a lower tax rate than either of these towns. The lown of Portsmouth is without a note or bonded indebtedness of any kind and they had to the treasury at the close of the town year \$2,837.38. We doubt If there is another town to New England that can make this showing.

The net indebtedness of the town of James is \$19.858.83 which is very small compared with many towes. The total amount of property taxed in Jamestown is \$4,248,271.00, and the property exempt from inxation amounts to \$1. 025,600,00. In Portamouth the amount of property taxed is \$3,988,825,00,

The colored people of the city are ar ranging for a big celebration of the fifthat anniversary of the emancination of the negro next month. The affair will be held in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church on the evening of September 22nd. Among the speakers will be Mayor William MacLeod, Lteutenant Governor Roswell B, Burchard and others. Mr. D. B. Allen is chairman of the committee of arrangements and is devoting much of his time to laying out a notable celebration.

This has been a strenuous week in the office of the collector of taxer, as the penalty for non-payment goes on all taxes not paid at closing time to uight.

\$5,000,000, or half the amount required, has already been subscribed for a national highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast.

Severe Blectrical Storm.

Newport was visited Friday morning by one of the liveliest electrical storms in many years. The lightning finalistic continually and was followed immediately by the great crackes of thunder that indicated that the disturhance was directly overhead. The lightning struck in several places but fortunately the demage done was comparatteely amoult,

It was shortly after 8 o'clock when the storm broke, although it had been threatening for come time. The rate came down in fortents for about an hour, with occasional pauses between the down rours. For a good half-hour the lightning played over the city, and those who are at all nervous in an olectrical storm were pretty, well worked up. The storm seemed to pass directly over the center of the city, and several bolts came to earth in the bustneas section.

One boll of lightning struck the old abot lower on lower Thames street. and its course through the tower to the ground could be plainly seen by those in the vicinity. Another struck the building at the corner of Thames street and Long whatf, cutting off a number of electric wires as cleanly as if they had been out with shears. A feed wire on Washington Equare was also brought to the ground and for a few minutes there wes considerable excitement in that vicinity. No one was injured bowever. Heveral trees were struck in different parts of the city. and several bolts were seen to come down into the water. | Beveral - places in the Bellevne avenue section were atruck .

The rain came down in torrents. The gawers were unable to carry off the surplus water at the foot of the bill, and Thames street was filled from building to building in some places. Pedestrians had to wade knee deep in places if they wished to go through, and automobiles found the water, within a few inches of their hubr. The store glils had a hard time getting to work, as the worst of thestorm came at the time when they were on their wey.

It is not often that Newport has such s storm as that. Sometimes we have one or two sharp flushes of lightning, but it is not often that a storm lingers overhead and bombards the city for nearly an hour at a time. Most people

Bome interest has been occasioned this week by a controversy regarding the sale of liquors at the Casho during the Tennis tournament. There is nothing to indicate that the practice was anything different from the oldipary, but it caused more fues, Mr. William H. Tobiu, secretary of the board of license commissioners, attended the tournament and saw what supeared to be autopen bar outling grounde. He notified the superlotendentiof the Casino that there was no ticense for that place and was informed that the lessee of the restaurant had charge of that. Mr. Tobin then notified the chief of police and subsequently the Mayor. About the time that the tournament came to a close the bar was closed up, but it .was stated that only soft drinks were sold,

· Early Tuesday morning there was an excellent opportunity to see one of the modern bydrc-stroplane in setton over the waters of Natragansell Bay, One of these machines came down from Providence with two men on torid, and landed near King park for a short call on Captain Hugh L. Willoughby. They spent an hour here and then returned to Providence, the entire trip, including the hour spent here occupying less than two and one balf bours. The machine attracted much attention frem all the ciaft to the bartor and on the Bay. A speed of from 60 to 80 miles an hour was maintained for the whole flight.

The sum of \$7500 has been presented to the First Presbyterian Church for the purpose of erecting a parsonage on the groupds on Everett street at the rear of the church. The gift has been accepted by the trustees and a committee has been appointed to prepare plans for the erection of the building. This committee consists of Messes. Robert A, Smith, Dudley P. Bacheller, James Grabam, John T. Haire, and Rev. Nathaniel J. Spreul. It is understood Ital Commeders Asthur Curiles James

Paried Assistant Surgeon William Henry Connor, U. S. N., attached to the Naval Hospital here, was united in marriage on Tuesday to Miss Agues D. Keightley, the ceremony being performed at St. Joseph's rectory in this city. The bride's home is in Australia and she took the long journey to Newport to marry Burgeon Conner whom the met while he was on duty at Вашев.

The annual meeting of the Newport Improvement Association will be held next Monday at 11,80 a.m. at the rooms of the Newport Historical So-

For Better Newport,

There was a large attendance at the lecture at Rogers High School Hally on Thursday afternoon by Mr. Frederick Law Olmstead, the distinguished landscape engluser, Mr. Olmstead had been engaged by the Newport Improvement Association to make a planfor the gradual betterment of the city, and it was this matter that he explained at the lecture. There were a great many of the summer residents" there, Broadway being lined with walt: and entrelled especially be able to ture was in progress.

Mayor MacLead called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. John Thom; son Spencer, president of the Improvement Association, who spokes briefly and then presented Mr. Olmrtend. Mr. Olmutead spoke of the untural? beauties of Newport, the desirability of preferring name of the old attractions, and of working along a definite road for. better development of the elly. Specific recommendations call for the establishment of a permanent building line, the extension of Eustis avenue to Broadway, and of Washington street to comeinto a parkway to connect with the Boulevard; the widening of Bath road, Touro, Leviu and Cannon streets; seecure Miantonomi Hill: Improve Almy's . pond; and remove the dangerour turns . on the Ocean Drive.

An interesting book has been prepared, showing Mr. Olmstead's recom... mendations and illustrated with photographs and drawings.

Water Rates Hearing.

The record bearing into water mat ters in Newport was given by the Pub-He Service Commission of the State at the City Hall on Thursday. There were many witnesses present and at times the hearing was protty lively. P. II. Horgan was examined at some length and some of his replies stirted up things considerably.

The hearing opened with an attempt

to get the books of the Newport Water Works before the commission, This move was opposed by Col. Sheffleld, representing the company, and it wasnot decided at that time.

The commission examined a number of witnesses, and the hearing occupied: all the afternoon. Mayor blacked told of complaints that had been made tobim by summer residents and permapent residents. Patrick H. Horgan told v of his experiences in having water that . off his property, and of being obliged to . pay water rates for vacant property. Captain Joseph P. Cotton believed that the rates are too high, and that they should be based on a physical relustion of the property. Col. George C. Shaw, Inapector of nutsances, told of inspections that he had made.

Other witnesses included Admiral F. E. Chadwick, William D. Goddard, William H. Behmidt, Walter S. Langley, John A. Murphy, Henry A. Kalkman, Timothy F. Sullivan, William E., Brightman and Murshall W. Hall

Struck by Automobiles...

Mrs. Carl A. Bloom was, the victimy of an automobile accident on l'usaday. afternoon, and spectators thought that she would surely be killed outright. She was crossing Franklin street at Thames, during the very busy time shout Uve driven by H. H. Bradley turned into Franklin street at about the same time. and to the confusion Mrs. Bloom was etruck by the fender and knocked down, the car passing partly over her body. When it was brought to a stop. the forward wheel was restlug on herbody and those who went to the rescue had to lift the car to that the could be taken out from under it.

Mrs. Bloom was unconscious when taken out, and she was quickly placed in the auto of Mr. Joseph T., Tower which was nearby and huirted to the Hospital, An examination disclosed two broken ribs, but if as more terious complications develop she is expected to recover. The accident seems to have been one of the unavoidable kind, and Mr. Bradley did everything in his power to make the victim comfortable,

Next Monday ,will be Labor Day, There will be no particular programme for the observance in Newport, but there will be a general cluster of places. of business for the cutire day. The Horse Show will open at the Newport Casino and will probably draw the usual crowd.

Mrs. John E. O'Neill, wife of thechairman of the board of tax assessors, is at the Newport Hospital, where she was operated upon for the removal of gall stones early this week. Her coudition is reported as comfortable.

Childs Business College will open on Tuesday next Sept. 2, to the Resity: Building Washington square. Totaln. stitution has made a great successi in-Providence and the outlook is good: here,

Next Monday will be a general holls. đảy.

REX BEACH **ADVENTURE** STORIES

The Colonel and the Horse Thief

By. REX BEACH

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HOSE marks on my arm? Ob, I got 'em playing horse thief! Yes, playing. I wasn't a real one, you know, Well, I s'pose ist was sort of a queer game. Came spear being my last, too, and if Black Mawk hadn't been the best heres in Toxas the old colonel would 've killed ome sure. He chased me six miles as 'It was-mo with one arm full of his duckshot and anrious to explain and bim straining to get in range again and not wishing any further particu-

That was way back in the sixtles, when I was as wild a lad as over

etraddied a pony. You see, dive of us had gone over into the Crow Nation to the horses with the Indians, and it was on the way back that the old man and the

way back that the old man and the shullet holes figger in the story.

At the beginning it was Jim Barrett's cplan, and it had jest enough risk and deviment in it to sult a harum sear-cum young feller like me. So we got Aumped together all of our money and You know how an Indian loves to

run horses? Well, the Crows had a good deal of money then, and our scheme was to go over there, get up a big race, back our horses with all we bad and take down the wealth.

Waking chances? Don't you believe It. That's where the beauty of Jim's plan commenced to sort of sulno

You see, as soon as the money was dian would be watching the race and Yelling at the page; then in the confusion our boys was to grab the whole pot, Indian's money and ours, too, and Well make our getaway across the

. We figured that we could get a few minutes start of em, and, with the thorses we had under us, there wasn't much danger of their getting in range pefore we crossed back to where they

couldn't follow us.
Well, sir, I never see anything work out like that scheme did. Them Crows was dead anxious to run their ponies and seemed skeered that we wouldn't det 'em get all their money up.

As we was eating suppor the night eperore the race Donnelly says; "Boys, I'm sore that we didn't have more coin 'Il we'd worked 'em right they'd 'a' give us edds. We could 'a' got 5 to 3 anyhow and maybe more."

They shore have got a heap of condidence in them skates of their u." says "Kink" Martin. "I never see anybody so anxious to play a race in my life. If it wasn't all planned out the way it is I'd like to stick and sea Which hoss is the best. I'd back Black Hawk agin any bunk of meat in the cerritory with the kid here in the sad-

They'd ribbed it up for me to ride Martin's mare, Black Hawk, while a dittle feller named Hollis rode his own

Donnelly's part was to stay in the saddle and keep the other horses close to Barrett and Martin. They was to stick next to the money and one of while the other made the protection

play.
We hoped in the excitement to get off without harming any of Ducte Sam's pets, but all three of the boys had been with the rangers, and I knew if it came to a showdown they wouldn't hesitate to "pot" one or two in getting

We rode out from camp the next morning to where we'd staked out a mile track on the prairie, and it seemed as if the whole Crow Nation was there and nary a white but us five

They'd entered two pretty good look-ing horses and had their lockers stripged down to breechclouts, while Hol-lis and me wore our whole outsits on our backs, as we didn't exactly figurer on dressing after the face-leastways, that on that side of the river.

Just before we lined up Jim says:
"Now, you-all ride like-and when you git to the far turn we'll let the Then jest leave the track and make a fer the civer, everybody fer himself. We'll all meet at them cotzonwoods on the other side, so we can criand 'em off if they try to swim Across after us."

That would have been a sure enough bot race if we had run it out, for we all four got as pretty a start as I ever see and went down the line all together with a banging of hoofs and In-

dian yells ringing in our ears.
I had begun to work Black Hawk out of the bunch to get a clear start across the prairie at the turn when I deard the guas begin snapping like

popeora. "They've started a'ready!" yelled Hollis, and we turned the rearing horses toward the river, three miles away, leaving them two savages tear-

I glanced back as I turned, but instead of seeing the boys in the midst of a decent retreat the crowd was swarming after 'em like a nest of angry bormets, while Donnelly, with his reins Detween his teeth, was biazing away at three reds who were right at Barrett's beels as he ran for his horse. Martin was tashing his jumping cayuse

away from the mob, which sputtered and spit angry shots after him. Bucks were running here and there and hastily mounting their poples, while an an

the popping of the guns, while and an entry roar came to me, punctuated by the popping of the guns, IIolis and I reached the river and awam it haif a mile ahead of the others and their yelling bunch of trailers, so we were able to protect 'em in their crossing.

their crossing.
I could see from their actions that Bennett and Martin was both burt, and I judged the deal hadn't panned out exactly according to specifications, The Crows didn't attempt to cross

In the teeth of our fire, however, being satisfied with what they'd done, and the horses safely brought our three comrades dripping up the bank to where we lay taking pot shots at every bunch of feathers that approached the

We got Barrett's arm into a sling, and as Martin's hort wasn't serious

we lost no time in getting away, "They simply beat us to it." com-plained Harrett as we rode south. "You all had jest started when young Long Mair grabs the sack and ducks through the crowd, and the whole bunch turns loose on us at once. We wasn't expecting anything so early in the game, and they winged me the first clatter. I thought sure it was off with me when I got this builet in the shoulder, but I used the gun in my loft hand and broke for the nearest

"They got me, too, before I saw what was up," added Martin, "but I tore out of there like a lack rabbit. It was all done so cussed quick that the first thing I knew I'd struddled my horse and was making tracks. Who'd 'a' thought them durned Indians was dishonest enough for a trick like

Then Donnelly spoke up and says: "Boys, as fur as the colb goes we're out and injured. We jest made a Mexican stand off stoot our money, but saved our lives-and mighty lucky at that from appearances. What I want to know now is how we're all going to get home, clean across the state of Texas, without a dollar in the outlit and no assets but our guns and the maga."

That was a sure tough proposition, and we had left it tectotally out of calculations. We'd bet every bean on that race, not seeing how we could lose. In them days there wasn't a railroad in that section, ranches were scattering, and people weren't giving pink teas to every stranger that rode up, especially when they were as hard

looking as we were.

"We've got to eat, and so's the horses," says Hollis, "but no rancher is going to welcome with open arms as disreputable an outfit as we are-two men shot up and the rest of us without bedding, grub, money or explanations. Them's what we need-expla-nations. I don't exactly see how wo're going to explain our fix to the honest has diggers either. Everybody 'il think some sheriff is after us, and two to one they'll put some officer on our trail, and we'll have more trouble. 1 believe l've had all I want for awhile."

"I'll tell you how we'll work it," I says. "One of us 'll be the sheriff of Guadalupe county, back home, with three deputies, bringing back a prison-er that we've chased across the state. We'll ride up to a ranch and demand lodging for ourselves and prisoner in the name of the state of Texas and say that we'll pay with vouchers on the county in the morning."

"No, sir; not fer mel" says Martin, "I'm not going in fer forgery. It's all right to practice a little mild deception on our red brothers, as we figgered on doing, but I'm not going to try to filmiflam the state of Texas. Our troubles would only be starting if we began that game."

"Your plan's all right, Kid," says Bennett to me. "You be the terrible desperado that I'm bringing home after a bloody fight where you wounded Martin and me and 'most escaped. Tou'll have every rancher's wife giving you flowers and weeping over your youth and kissing you goodby. In the morning, when we're ready to go and I'm about to fix up the vouchers for our bost, you break away and ride like the devil. We'll all tear off a few shots and foller in a hurry, leaving the farmer boning that the villain is recaptured and the girls tearfully praying that the gallant and misguided youth escapes."

It seemed to be about our only sort, as the country was full of bad men, and we were liable to get turned down cold if we didn't have some story, so we decided to try it on.

We rode up to a ranch bout dark that night, me between the others, with my hands tied behind me, and Jim called the owner out. "I want a night's lodging fer my

deputies and our prisoner," he says. "I'm the sheriff of Guadalupe county, and I'll fix up the bill in the morning."
'Come in! Come in?' the feller says. calling a man for the horses. "Glad

to accommodate you. Who's your pris-"That's Texas Charlie that robbed the Bank of Euclid single handed," answers Jim. "He give us a long run clean across the state, but we got him

jest as he was getting over into the lu-gian Territory. Fought like a tiger." It worked fine. The feller, whose name was Morgan, give us a good lay-

out for the night and a bully breakfast next morning. That desperado game was simply

The other fellers attended to the horses, and I jest sat around looking victous and had my grub brought to me, while the women acted sorrowful and fed me pie and watermelon

When we was ready to leave peat nerving Jim says, "Now. Mr. Morgan, I'll fix up them vouchers with you." and, giving me the wink, I let out a rell, and, labbing the spurs into Black Hawk, we cleared the feuce and was off like a puri of dust, with the rest of em shooting and screaming after me like mad.

Say, it was lovely, and when the boys overtook me, out of sight of the house. Morgan would have been astonished to see the sheriff, his posse and the terrible desperado doubled up to their saddies laughing by to bust

Well, sir, we never had a bitch in the



"That's Texas Charlle that robbed the Bank of Euclid."

proceedings for five days, and I was getting to feel a sort of pride in my record as a bank robber, forger, herse thief said murderer, according to the way Bennett presented it. He certainly was the boss liar of the range, He had a story framed up that

painted me as the bloodlest young tough the Lone Star had ever produced, and it never falled to get me all the attention there was in the

· One night we came to the best look-Ing place we'd seen, and in answer to Jim's summons out walked an old man, followed by two of the prettiest

girls I ever saw, who joined their fa-ther in inviting us in.
"Glad to be of assistance to you, Mr. Sheriff," he said. "My name is Purdy, sir-Colonel Purdy, as you mny have beard; in the Mexican wor special mention three lines for distinguished conduct. These are my daughters, sir-Annabel and Marte." As we went in he continued: "You say you had a bard time getting your prisoner? He looks young for a criminal. What's he wanted for?"

Somehow when I saw those girls blushing and bowing behind their father I didn't care to have my crimes made out any blacker's necessary, and I fried to give Jim the high sign to let me off easy-just make it forgery or arson-but he was looking at the ladies, and, evidently believing in the strength of a good impression, he naid: "Well, yes; he's young, but they never, was a old man with half his crimes. He's wanted for a good many things in different places, but I went ifter him for horse stealing and mur-fer. Killed a rancher and his little daughter, then set fire to the house and ran off a bunch of stock."

"Oh, ab! How dreadfall" shuddered the girls, backing off, with norrified glances at me.

I tried to get near Jim to step on als

fool, but the old man was glaring at ic something awrm.
"Come to observe blue closely, he
"come to observe blue closely, he
"memorial focal" says he, "He me something awful.

has a deprayed face," says he, "He looks the thorough criminal in every feature; dend to every decent impulse,

In those days I was considered a pretty handsome feller, too, and I knew I had Jim beat before the draw on looks, but he continues tanking matters worse.

"Yes, and he's desperate, too-one of the worst I ever see. We had an awful dght with him up here on the line of the territory. He shot Martin-and me before we got him. You see, I wanted to take him alive, and so I

took chances on getting hurt,
"Thank you, miss; my arm does ache
tonsiderable. Of course if you'd jest is soon dress it— Oh, no; I'm no braver'n anybody else, I guess! Nice of you to say so, anyhow." And he went grinning out into the kitchen with the girls to fix up his arm.

The old man lusisted on having my feet bound together and me fastened to a chair and said: "Yes, yes, I know you can watch him, but you're in my house now, and I feel a share of the responsibility upon me. I've had experience with desperate characters. and I'm going to be sure that this young reprobate don't escape his just ceed more help getting him home? I'll go with you it?—
"Thank you," interrupted Hollis.

We've chased the scoundrel 400 miles, and I reckon, now we've got him, we ean keep him."

At supper Jim, with his arm in a new aling, sat between the two girls, who cooed over him and took turns teeding him till it made me sick.

The old man had a nigger move my thair up to the foot of the table and bring me a plate of coarse grub after they all fluished eating.

He had tied my anales to the lower rung of the chair himself, and when I says to the pigger, "Those cords have plum stopped my circulation; just ease 'em up a little," he went straight up.

"Don't you touch them knots, Sam!" he reared. "I know how to secure a man, and don't you try any of your tames in my house either, you young fiend. I'd never forgive myself if you escaped."

I ate everything I could reach, which wasn't much, and when I asked for the butter he glared at me and said: "Butter's too good for horse thieves. Eat what's before you." Every time 1'd catch the eye of one

of the girls and kind of grin and look enticing she'd shiver and tell Jim that the marks of my depravity stood out on my face like warts on a toad.

Jim and the bors would all grin like idiots and invent a new crime for me. They put it to the old man so strong that when he turned in he chained me to Sam, the cross eyed nigger that stood behind me at supper, and made us sleep on the door.

once because he shored, and that nig-

ger never closed an eye all night. I was trying to get even with somebody. After breakfast, when it came time to leave, Donnelly unded my feet and led me out into the yard, where the girls were hanging around the colonic and Jim, who was preparing to settle

had noticed that we turned in from the road through a lane and that the fence was too high to jump, so when I threw my leg over Black Hawk I bit Donnelly a swat in the neck, and as he did a stage fall I swept through the gate and down the lane,
The old man cut the halter off one

of his Mexican warwhoops and broke through the house on the run, appear-ing at the front door with his shetgun just as I checked up to make the turn on to the main road. As I away around, doubled over the horse's neek, he let drive with his old

blunderbuss, and I caught two buck-shot in my right arm where you see them marks. I had sense enough to hang on and ride for my life, because I know the old fire eater would reckou it a pleasure to put an end to such a wretch as

me if he got half a chauce.

I heard him how!: "Come on, boys!
We'll got him yet!" And over my
shoulder I saw him jump one of his
loose borses standing in the yard and come tearing down the lane, ahead of the befuddled sheriff and posse, his white hair streaming and the shotgun waving aloft as though charging an army of greasers at the head of his regiment.
From the way he drew away from

the boys I wouldn't have placed any money that he was wrong, either,

I've always wondered how the old man ever got through that war with only three recommendations to the government.

He certainly kept good horses, too, for in five minutes wo'd left the posse



*Come on, boys! We'll get him yet!" behind, and I saw blin madly urging his borse into range, releading as he

As I threw the quirt late the more with my good arm I allowed 1'd had about all the horse stealing I wanted for awhile.

The old devil finally saw he was losing ground in spite of his best efforts and let me have both barrels. I heard the shot patter on the bard road behind me' and hoped he'd quit and go home, but I'm blamed if he didn't chase me five miles further hefore turning back in hopes I'd cast a shoe or something would happen to

I believe I was on the only horse in Texas that could have outrue the colonel and his that morning.

About noon I stopped at a black-mith's stop, built dead with palu, and had my arm dressed and a big jolt of

As the posse rode up to me, sitting in the sun by the lathered flanks of my horse and nursing my arm, Jim yells out: "Here he is! Surround him, boys! You're our prisoner!"

"No I'm blamed if I am? I says. "You'll have to get another desperado.
After this I'm the sheriff!"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Korea's Edible Grasses. The use of grasses, roots and the ten der bark of trees in Korea does not necessarily imply a deficiency of food supplies. These articles are much in use by Korcaus, even of the well to do classes, for saisds and side dishes at

London's Oldest Papers. . It is generally thought that the Times, published in 1778, is the eldest London dally, but the Morning Post was in existence in 1772. The oldest Sunday newspaper, the Observer, was established in 1791, when it was sold at 8d, a copy, a price which was also charged for the Weekly Dispatch. The result of these prices was that the average person could not afford to buy a newspaper, but used to pay for the

Macaroni, French macaroni differs from the

Italian in so far that the French is dried in closed rooms instead of in the open air, as in Italy.

Chinese Barbers,

The Chinese people have very light beards, and their practice for unfold years has been to retreate the native barbers, who carry their equipment suspended at the two ends of a coolie pole across the shoulder and stroll about the native streets seeking ous tomers. Comparatively few Chinese have adopted the plan of shaving as sleep on the fleor. I told Sam that I cut a man's throat note because he cannot and that I cut a man's throat note because he cannot and that I cut a man's throat note because he cannot and that I cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note the cut and the cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note that the cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note that the cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note that the cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note that the cut a man's throat not the cut a man's throat note that the cut a man's throat note the cut a man's throat note the

The gypsies have passed under a va-tiety of names, arising either from their supposed original country or the callings and characteristics of the race. The old English Egyptian, the Scanish Olfana and the Magyar Pharas nepek (Pharaoh's people) all point to an Egyptian origin. The Scandinavian Tatare identifies them with the Monpollan hordes which terrorized early Europe, while the French Behemian luggests yet another country as their

As to the names bestowed by their rails them harant (a villatin), the Dutchman heydens, or heathers, and the Persian takes his name from their tomplexion and dubs them karachi, or twarthy. A charter of William the Lion, as early as the twelfth century, mentions their Scotch name of tinklers, tentions their sector name of marks, which is commonly supposed to be a torruption of tinker, although possibly the substitution of "t" for "z" has produced this form of the Italian zingaro, one of the most widespread of gypsy appellations .- London Speciator.

The Moth and the Candle

It is not because the moth is lightbearted, heedless and utterly frivolous, as we have always been told, that it plunges headlong into the fisme, but because of the way that its body is constructed says Knewpffert, the well known student of physical science. There are two symmetrical points, exactly alike chemically, on the moth's body-namely, its eyes. If the rays of light modify the chemical conditions of one side more than the other then the moth's power of movement is af-fected. There is a stronger muscular lonsion on one side than on the other. and the moth is forced to move toward the source of light. If, however, one of the eyes is removed the chemical symmetery is destroyed and justend of plunging into the flame it moves about in a circle. There are other autmals and insects besides the meth which are hopelessly in the grip of light. If a snall is placed between a white wall and a black wall the un-equal lighting forces it to crawl in a tircle.-Chicago Tribune.

The Symbolic Key, Art, music and poetry have in all iges been considered the polite aris, but what is art without the proper portrayal of the dress of the age that it seeks to represent? What is music that does not bring theretally from that does not bring inspiration from the masters of the past who were slothed in the power to give us climpses of men and ideals of whom the only lasting impression can be gained by the form our imaginations tive to them? And our imaginations slothe them in robes in which their areators sent them out on their errords of giving the world higher ideals. Then what is poetry but thought clothed in words? No matter from what side tiowed, the figure of speech of clothing is the symbolic key that gives entrance to these higher realms, and therefore why should not clothes themtelves touch the hem of the garments of the arts, with which they are so closely in touch?—American Tallor and

The Australian Appetite, An Australian paper gives some surprising statistics of what the average Australian eats. Apparently he has the best appetite, if not the best diges-tion, of any human being on the plan-He eats every year 264 pounds of meat, which works out at an average of two sheep and one-fifth of a butlock for every man, wonian and baby ln Australasia. He eats more than twice as much meat as the average Englishman, three times as much as the average Frenchman and four times as much as the average German or Swiss. He eats, in addition, about three and three-quarters hundred-weight of wheat, two and a half hundredweight of piotatoes and almost one hundredweight of sugar. If he is a Tasmanian he eats a quarter of a ton of potatoes in a year.

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house who is addressed as plain 'mis-ter,' "-Washington Star.

A Slight Blemish.

"Yes," said Mrs. Mulligan, who was baving a chat with two friends, "me husband's a wonderful man. He can mend clocks. Sure, Mrs. Moriarty, lidn't he mend your cuckoo clock so that it kapes beautiful time now?"
"That he did, Mrs. Mulligan," replied

Mrs. Moriarty; "he mended it all right, it's only got one single fault now-it bos' before it 'cucks!' "-London Tele-Harmony In Life.

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Current Comment.

Mexico's crying need seems to be a president who will execute more re-forms and fewer reforms.—Columbia

The rost of some kinds of living is getting cheaper. The price of a seat on the New York Stock Exchange has dropped from \$70,000 to \$40,000,-Washington Herald.

British immigrants to the number of 01.170 came to the United States last year, and only 10,810 went back. The doors of Ellis Island still "swing inward."-New York World.

Financial Fancies.

Anybody who has seen a huralo nickel knows that we need a new currency system,-Philadelphia Ledger.

H's a shortsighted policy to take care of your pennies and let your dollars lake care of somebody else.-Philadelphia Record.

A prominent banker says the demand for money is greater than the supply, but it didn't take a prominent banker to find that out, - Philadelphia Incomes

Pert Personals.

Ludy Sackville continues to hold the suck. . It isn't empty, either - Chlengo Record-Herald.

Lil Russell boasts that she had signed a contract calling for \$105,000 next year, I.H should fret on her fifty-third birthday;-Milwankee Sentinel.

One is inclined to suspect that Novel ist Ambassador Page will not be so much interested in the royaliles he will see as those he will continue to receive.-Columbia State.

State Lines.

Pennsylvania's forestry department last year set out over 1,000,000 seed-ling trees in reforestation work.

New York heads the states in the number of liquor dealers, with 44,000 tetallers and about 3.000 wholesalers and brewers.

In crop values the state of Missourl is led only by Illinois and Iown. In general crops Missouri excels fortyfour of her sisters.

The Dance. The Dance.

When she ran in and danced for me Across the dusty place.

The very motes were glad to see lier sweet and eager grace;

When she danced in, so quaint, so light, Across the dusty floor.

This little maid of four.

So might the fays in fairy days
Have danced across the lea
And down the mystle moonift ways,
So light, so quaint, so free.
The music of those thaty feet
Across the dusty floor
Brings back in echoes faint and sweet
The little maid of four.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A New Version Teacher - Now, Johnny Blaks, get

up and tell the class what you know about William Tell.

Johnny-William Tell was some track shot with a bowanarrow-and-Teacher-And whenever he drew his

bowstring— Johnny—And whenever he drew his bowstring he—he— Teacher—He what?

Johnny (making a wild hazard)-He rung the bell and got a punk eight.St. Louis Republic.

RULES OF CONDUCT,

When you come into any fresh company observe their humors. Suit your own carriage thereto, by which insinuation you will make their converse more free

and open. Let your discourse be more in queries and doublings than per-emptory assertions and disputings, it being the design of travelers to learn not to teach. Besides, it will persuade your ac-quaintance that you have the greater esteem of them and so make them more ready to com-municate what they know to you, whereas nothing sooner oc-casions disrespect and quarrels than peremptoriness. You will find little or no advantage in scenning wiser or much more ig-norant than your company.

Seldom discommend anything though never so bad, or do it but moderately, lest you be unexpectedly forced to an unhand-some retraction. It is safer to commend anything more than it deserves than to discommend a thing so much as it deserves, for commendations meet not so often with oppositions, or at least not usually so ill resented by men that think otherwise, as discommendations, and you will Instituate into men's favor by nothing sooner than seeming to approve and commend what they like, but beware of doing it by comparison:-Sir Isane New-

ABOUT. FOOD.

Go to your banquet, then, but use delight.

petite.

He Who feasts every day feasts no day. - Simmons.

One should cut to live and not live to cat.-Benjamin Franklin.

The discovery of a new dish does more for the happiness of

Eat at your own table as you would eat at the table of a king

Enough is equal to a feast-Flelding.

The Royal Box.

on her tenth birthday.

The ezar is, among European mon archs, the one who makes the least majesty in former days registered yow that he would never enter such a conveyance, and, although necessity occasionally compets him to break it, his dislike for motors is unabated.



Once Upon a Time

NCE there was really no way out of it for the farmer. Plodding home from the field with his team at close of day, he saw before him the wait-ing small jobs about the house,

barn, and yard, jobs that took time and labor, and never seemed to end. There was water to be pumped, wood to be sawed, various machines to be run by hand. It was a dreary prospect -- but that was once upon a time.

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engine to you and explain its various points. Get catalogues from him, or write the International Harvester Company of America

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as to rise still with an ap-

--- Herrick

a man than the discovery of a siar.—Brillat-Savarin.

Princess Mary of England was the first royalty to open an account at the Postoffice Savings bank, which she.did

The Archduchess Isabella of Austria will become a trained nurse. \ She is now undergoing training at Rudolffmer house, one of the largest Vienna hos-pitals for the poor. Upon graduation she will join the Red Cross organiza-

use of the motorcar. His Imperial



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"Henry, it says here that Mr. sacs

con pelted the pill for three sacks. What does it mean?" "Good heavens, Mary, can't you un

derstand plain Eng. shi? It means that he shigged the sphere safe and Lindes on the third pillow." - Chleage Record-

Some men succeed by working hard With pick or smale or ten. But not a few still get ahead By working other inco. -St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Conductor-We have missed the connection, and you will have to walt at this station six hours. Old Lady (who is a little nervous on

the railroads-Well. I'm safe for six bours, anyway.-Christian Register, The sheath gown made the world rear

Elder-If you believe that every thing that takes place is foreordained why did you wallep the man you caught stealing your word? Deacon-Because I couldn't help it. I felt that it was foreordained that it

abould wallop him. - Boston Transcript "These waves," she mused, "that beat and roar—
How like to life here on the shore!"
"Yes, quite like," he sadly spoke;
"Coming full swing, departing broke."
—Jude

A summer cottage is a place where the people act at the dining table the way they'd like to when they're at home, but don't dare.-Everybody's.

> Charges highest, Service worst;
> Sunstroke, chiegers,
> Hunger, thirst—
> That's vacation.
> (Oh. I say,
> I wish I could
> Get away!)
> —Chicago Daily Newa.

"Do you know why I whipped you. my son?"
"No, but I was going to ask you when I got bigger."-Life.

She cafter the quarret-1 will send back your ring and other presents to morrow.

Notice the thick rubber tread

He-Oh, there's no burry. I don't expeet to be engaged again for a week or two.-Boston Transcript.

Never write a letter with a "Burn this" at the end; In your converse bear in mind the dic-tograph:

Get not too confidential o'er the ficklish telephone.

And then at probes you can serenely

-Baltimere American. Mrs. Robinson-And were you up the

Mrs. de Jones-1 should think so right to the very top! What a splendid view there is from the summit!-

Love used to have four letters—L, O, V and E--that was the spell, But now I use but one. A small, Wes vowel tells the story all, And tells it mighty sweetly too. That letter, dearest heart, is UI—John Kendrick Bangs in Ainslee's.

Methoselah was pessimistic, "Age doesn't belp you any," he de-clared. "I now know 800 summer resorts where I don't want to go again." -New York Sun.

For marriage and poker
There runs an old saw.
Of course you have heard it—
"It's all in the draw."
—Detroit Free Press.

Parke-Do you leave your servants In charge of your bouse during the sulomer? Lane-Not any more so than the rest

of the year. - Life

Ma will summer in the hills;
Els abrond will roam;
Pg, who has to foot the bills.
Summers her at home.
—Pittsburgh Post.

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The Mercury.

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The tex rate of the city of Brockton is \$21 on a \$1000. Buston's rate is \$17,20. There is not a city in Manachusetts that has not increased its rate this year.

A skyrersper to rise 900 feet, 150 feet higher than the Woolworth building, and to cost \$9,000;000 is planned by the Pau American States Association to be double in New York.

One week from next Wednesday, Beptember 10, will be known as Perry day and will be a legal holiday to Ribode leland. It ought to be generally observed throughout the State, Patitioniarly in Newport,

Veteran membere beat acquainted with the ways of Congress are beginming to order overcoate, says an Exchange. If they do not reform soon some of them will need no overcoats in she place where they are going.

An sasy way for members of the Ritude Islant General Assembly to get at least a little fame was to decline the layitation of their own committee to go on that affect-thousand-dollar junker to Pul-lo-Bay. But evidently very few of them cars to purchase fame at so high a price,—Providence Tribune.

The case against Gov. Suizer of New York is that he committed an offense sprior to his election. The case against Tammany is that it is always commitetting offences, says an Exchange, As Mat as Tammauy is concerned the eabove item needs no correction.

The first cargo of chilled beef for the Multed States has been sent by steamahip Vandyck, from Bucuos Ayres, The cargo, countring of 1000 quarters, It countdered as no experiment. More will be sent if this shipment is favorathly received. Better keep it coming. .Lt can be exten.

Gor. Foss of diseaschusetts says that "The Democrate have betrayed him and the Republicans are too far away from his position of public policies, hence he are going to run independent. In other words Foss is for Foss, and nobody else. 1. Me will make loss of trouble for the two political parties in Massachusetta this

The purchasing power of the dollar Not food commodities in Boston from A897 to 1918 has been cut in half. Top cut of a round steak in 1897 cost 18 to 220 cents; now it is 85 cents. Sirloin, which 18 years ago cost 25 cents a ryound, has gone to 35. Rump steak was 25 to 28 cents, and is now 40 to 48 ecents. Lamb has advanced from 15 and 16 cents to 20 and 25 cents. Ham .Sas doubled in price. These latter prices dook small to a Newport consumer.

Recesevelt is the same rabid despotic ramer of his followers as ever. In a speech in Chicago he declared that there could be no union with the Republican party unless that party came over soul and body to the progressives and adopted all his wild ideas, "They amust adopt our principles in and out, duct adopting them in part," he reitersated in his speech. It is very doubtful Af there is any harmony in the ranks as Aoug as that man has followers enough to make trouble.

The editor of our Notes and Querles department presents today a very in-deresting letter, which was never before published, from Capt. William V. Taylor who was Commodore Perry's sailing master on the Lawrence in the Battle of Lake Erie, Capt, Taylor was for many years a vallant officer in the United States navy and in building the fleet at Erie and in the Battle on the A0th of September ne was Perry's right hand man, and the man on whom be Most depended in all that contest.

The year 1914 is to be a great year for Canale. The canal which will cut Cape Cod will be completed early in the year. Early in 1914 the canalizing at and near Houston, Texas, will be completed. In 1914 greater part of the Amprovement of the Erie canal will have been completed. In 1914 the Papama canal will be made ready. An antercoastal canal in southern Louisiana, of great advantage to New Orleans, may be completed in 1914. Of these causis, the one at Cape Cod is the only one which represents private **Apijal**

The Great Naval Demonstration of the Age.

All the nations of the world are to be anvited to send fleets of war ships to folu with our own in a great "naval parade" through the Panama Caual at the opening ceremonies in 1915. They continued by the panama canal at the opening ceremonies in 1915. They are to assemble on the Atlantic Coast, perhaps Newport will get some of them, and proceed south to Panama, passe through the canal and thence caorib slong the Pacific Coast to the faxbor of Ean Francisco Bay, on whose shore will be their the commemorative and dedicatory world's exposition. England, Germany and a number of other European powers have declined to participate officially in the exposition by insking national displays. They assign reasons that are economic sand not political. They say that, while they rejoice with as in the completion of this greatest of world enterprises and expect and intend to reap great benefit from it commercially, they are so tired of expositions and find them of so little

value that they will not expend money on this one.

This excuse may be both truthful and candid. If it is not, the invitation to participate to a large way in the usral demonstration will reveal the fact. Any nation which is refraining from taking part in the exposition for political reasons, or as a rebuke to un for not letting foreigners manage our causi, will be embarrassed by this savitation, It will be difficult for it to fluit as plausible a reason for nonparticipation as it did for remaining away from the fair. The chief naval powers, Ga-many, England, France, Russia, Isaly and Austela, could send a sufficient number of their ingliest-class battle ships, their dreadpaughts and superdreaduaughts, to make a worthy representation of their naval power in auch a gathering of the navies of the world.
If the nations respond to the manner

they should the united fleet will constllute a speciacle such as the world never saw before and may never see spain. Before any other such occasion may arise there may be such a change in conditions and naval construction as to alter authrely the character of antipaand relegate to the scrap heap the monaters now being constructed and anbetttute much emaller vessels. The fleets of the air may drive the bugs fleats of the water from the sees. It may be the greatest maritime speciacis of past and future ager. Nothing will serve to prevent the powers sending enough of their best ships to assure such a spectucle but a desire to show displeasure over our management of the causi, If this is what caused their refusal to accept the tuyltation to partake in the exposition at the entrance to the Golden Gate this new invitation will reveal it.

High and Higher Beef, '

Reports from the West are contradictory as to the effect of the drouth on the price of beef to the near future. One report eage that, as a result of the failing pasturage and in authorization of a smaller corn crop, the farmers are hurrylog their cattle to market in unusual numbers. If this be true, it ought to mean obsaper, rather than higher, beef for the funned are future, but the figures from the centres where but the figures from the centres where cattle are received do not confirm this report. On the beels of this comes the assurance that the corn crop failure in the drouth regions has been much exaggerated, and that it will not in itself be enough to make an appreciable difference in the price of beef. And there you are.

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The one fact that no buyer of beef can get away from is that the price tends steadily higher and higher, and that importations from Australia to the Pacific coast or from Argentina to the Pacific coast or from Argentina to the Atlantic coast have thus far been only a drop in the bucket of the total demand. Somehow there is a feeling that the home beef trust in one way or another will be able to get sufficient control of the proposed supply of imported beef, from lands where cattle can be raised much cheaper than in the West, to prevent the price from dropping back toward the confortable point where it used to be. However that may but there is less and less prospect that may be there is less and less prospect that bed, or other meat, for that matter, will be again in the place that it used to hold on the table of the average man.

Beef beyonte sometimes accomplish seer buyconts sometimes accompisa-competing locally, but a sauer way is a readjustment of the menu of the aver-age family. Most people will be better off, anyway, if they eat less meat. There is no small confort in that thought. And in the mean time there is more and more accouragement for the New England farmer to raise cattle for the market, at his doors, -- Boston Herald.

It is not many years since when the New England farmer raised all the beef sold in New England. Beef then was selling for balf what it is today. If he could raise beef and sell it then at a profit why cannot be do it now? We would like to see him try it. We would like again to see, the six horse load of beef coming in Broadway from the Island as was the case within easy memory of the middle aged Newporter, when Asrou Coggeshall had a slaughter house in Middletown,

Board of Aldermen.

The board of aldermen held a rather busy session on Thursday evening. An attempt was made to settle the deadlock on the contract for a new automobile chemical engine, but was unsuccessful. Tures of the members hold out for the Pope-Hartford machine and three are opposed to it. Mayor Mac-Leod states that he will be away next week, and the deadlock may be broken in his absence.

Tuere was a good deal of routine business to be transacted, including the approval of bills and the granting of licenses. The bill for installing lights in Aquidasck Park was not approved, as it was found that are lights had been justailed while the council had ordered incandescent lights.

State College Notes,

Mus Lucy C. Tucker, registrar, has as guests ber septement of Providence.
It has been decided to open the college year on the 23d of September instead of on the 16th as heretofore an-

MIDDLETOWN.

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(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Rev. Juseph Cooper of Nawport conducted the afternoon service at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Bunday last in the absence of Rev. E. E. Well, who is on his vacation. Rev. Mr. Cooper will also be in charge out the uext Sabbath. The Sunday School is held as usue but the Sunday seruing services and the Fittay evening meetings of the Epworth League are omitted until September.

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Sentor and birs, Joseph L. Chace entertained many guests the past week who were invited to your the opening of the bissions upon their night chlorating cereus. These occurrences happen out once a year, the flowers living but one night and dying before light the extimorning. The flowers are marvellobely large and boautiful and are very linguage.

offing aut.

Mr. Waiter R. Cowler, former musical director at St. Grouge's School, and at present professor of music at Yal-, has been supplying at intervals through the summer at St. Columba's Chapet. The rector, Rev. Latta Griswald, who with Rev. Hugh McU. Birckness of Baltimote, has been spending the summer in England and Scotland, is expected home early next week. Mrs. Birckhead and oblid have been at the Allien Barker outlage in absence of Mr. Birckhead.

Mrs. Matilda Sherman, sidow of the late Thomas Sherman, both formerly of Middletown, is suffering from a fractured hip at the home of her coucin, Mrs. Phocbe U. Taber, to Newport, where she has been abouting the sumier. A great sufferer from theumatism for many years, her limbs gave out just as she was about to enter her room caucing her to fall. She to being cared for by a triangle nurse.

An enjoyable subscription dance was given at the Town thall Tuesday even-ing by Mr. Clifton B. Ward. The lu-vitations included 25 couples win quite a number of on-lookers. The dance programs computed 20 numbers, both round and square, and the Harry R. Howard prohestra furnished music, lee cream, cake and lemonale were

Mrs. Stayley Hambiton Track (Miss Althen Carr of Portamouth) who use been guest the past week of relatives in Middletown and Portamouth has returned to her home in Manchester, N. H.

Miss Elizabeth A. Peckham, who has been a teacher the past 10 years in Middletown, has reagged her position at the Peabody Admex where she has been for the last two years. The conditions are such at the Admex, which is but a makeshift in a private house, that it onay be difficult to secure a parmacent matructor. The echoci-roam has been much over crowded and the ventilation very yoor, beside many other disadvantages. The rooms, which were bried for \$82.00 a year, are now to be \$125.00, through a change of owners. They were accured by the School Committee as a last resort, to refleve the congestion in the Psahody School and were not supposed to become permanent quarters.

The Newport County Women's Suf-Miss Elizabeth A. Peckham, who

The Newport County Women's Suf-frage League will hold a meeting at the rown hall Tuerday evening uext. Miss Cora Mitcoell, will preside, and Miss Yates, president of the R. I. Sixte Sulfrage Association and Miss Edith Maraden of Washington with he among the speakers.

Sheriff's Sale,

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVI-DENCE PLANTATIONS.

Notice is hereby give. that I will sell the said attached and levied on estate at a Public Acction to be held in the Sherili's Office in said Gity of Newport in said Gonaty of Newport on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1913, at 12 of clock noas, for the satisfaction of said execution, debt, interest on the same, octs of said, my own fees and all contingent expenses, it sufficient.

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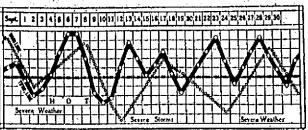
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PEDITY Sheriff.

WEATHER BULLETIN.



Temperatures of September will average warmer than usual and rainfall will be below the usual amount. Storm forces will be of less intensity than the av. erage of the year. Severe weather is expected near September 2, 15 and 28. Hot weather near 6 and 7.

Treble line represents normal temperatures and average probability of rain, Where the temperature line goes above this normal line indicates warmer and where it goes below indicates cooler than usual. The rain line only indicates when rains are nor ment probable. Temperature line dates are for ineridian 90. Count one to three days earlier for west of that line and as much latter for east of It in proportion to the distance from that line which runs north and south thru St. Louis.

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Wesulugton, D. C., Aug. 28, 1913.

Wesulugion, D. C., Aug. 28, 1018.

Last builtetin gave forecasts of dirturbance to cross continent Aug. 29 to Sept. 2, warm wave Aug. 28 to Sept. 1, cool wave Aug. 31 to sept. 4. This disturbance will average warmer than usual probability of the september will be less than usual but a few showers will occur with heavy raiss in a few places.

The most important weather featural of September will be its fairful which is expected to be less than usual. The September rains are expected in October it is advisable to sow late where it is too dry for aprouting the grain. But where the soll is sufficiently moist is will be best to sow early, particularly in noithern states, in order that a good growth may give protection to the roots of the grain during November which is expected to be colder and more atormy than usual. Of the three principal atorm waves of epicember we give particular warning for Sept. 12 to 18. That will be the most dangerous part of the inouth and are risk should be taken. The equinocital storms this year will occur not far from Sept. 15 and 28 but the first period will be unusually severe.

from Sept. 15 and 28 but the first period will be unusually severe.
The dry weather of September will extend into the cotion states and cause considerable loss to top growths of cotion. As to the 1914 whater grain crops we can make no estimate before first of November, 1913, but we will be able to make a valuable estimate of the 1915 wheat crop early in the year 1914.
Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about September 3, cross Pacific clops by close of 4, great central valleys 5 to 7, eastern sections 8. Warm wave

MIDDLETOWN. [From our Regular Correspondent.]

Hillside Poud is so low that it is mostly covered with a growth of coarse flags. Green Ead Pond, upon the opposite side of the bridge, lowers continually. There is so slight a rain fail during the showers, no impression is made upon the failing water supply although every little helps where vegetation is concerned.

SWIMS TWENTY- WO MILES

Brown Goes From Battery to Sandy Hook in 13 Hours 38 Minutes

After many unsuccessful attempts by long-distance swimmers to swim the twenty-two miles from the Bat-tery to Sandy Hook, Captain Alfred Brown of the Flushing hav life saving station corps accomplished the feat. He was in the water 13 hours and 38 minutes.

Brown had to be assisted up the stoping beach, as he was benumbed, but after walking about a short time he timbered up and declared he felt no bad effects from his long immersien. During his swim he ate but three small sandwiches and drank a small quantity of tea.

LAST OF, CROW INDIANS

Death of Luke Metimop, Claimed to Be 120 Years Old

Luke Metimop, the "Last of the Crows," died on an Indian reservation near Saginaw, Mich. Metimor was said to be 120 years of age.

For many decades he was closely associated with the Grow reservation and for some time had been its only surviving founder. He was blind for the last three years. One of his sons

is reported to have reached 90 years, Metimon settled in the Saginaw valley before white men began to cololeader, he was considered more of a farmer than a fighter.

CONVENIENT PARCEL POST

Ever Increasing Mailing of Products From Farm to Table

Fruits, eggs and other tarm products are being lorwarded by mail in ever-increasing quantities from the suburban producer to the urban breakfast table, according to Post-master General Burleson.

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The parcel post system likewise, is being increasingly used for the transportation of manufactured articles, and postoffice department officials express their pleasure at the manner in which the public is taking advantage of the innovation.

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slope about deptember 6, great central
valleys 8, eastern sections 10.
Very warm during this period and
the storm forces, though not great, will
have greater than usual tensity. Not
might said generally but, a few local
thunder showers and some probability
of a few hall storms.
Third storm wave of Bepleinber will
reach Pacific coast about theptember 9,
cross Pacific slope by closs of 10, great
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wave will cross Pacific slope about September 12, great central valleys 14,

valieya II, eastern sections 18. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about September 12, great central valleys 14, eastern sections 18. While this disturbance will average warmer than usual it will not be as warm as the preceding storm wave. Bhowers will be less till about September 18 when they will bright to increase preparatory for the great storm period of September 12 to 18. On September 12 you should begin to think about hunting places of safety. Orthodox solesalitis who are persistent critics of planetary meteorology should go back in weather bistory and investigate conditions during the years when Jupiter occupied positions similar to this year and they will surely flad great weather events. Jupiter's cycle is 11.84 years and in its first cycle you will find the great drouth and destruction in the corn crop of the year 1901. Hunt up other weather events mean those 12-year cycles of the great planet Jupiter and you will learn comething of value.

Report of New Haven Road for Past Year,

The report of The New York, New Haven and Hartford Rallroad Company for the quarter ending June 80th, 1918, shows Operating Revenues of \$16,857,-799,43, au increase of \$96,710.96, as compared with the corresponding quarter of 1912. The Operating Expenses were \$12,195,193.45, an increase of \$1,223,829.72. The Net Operating Revenue was \$4,602,605.93, a decrease of \$1,127,118.76. Net Revenue from Outside Operations decreased \$163,476.46. Taxes decreased \$103,110.36. Other Income increased \$594,900.91. The Gross Corporato Income for the quarter this Corporate Income for the quarter this year was \$10,006,185.43, a decrease of \$831,787.95. Interest, Rentals, etc., increased \$1,438,067.80. The Net Corporate frome for the quarter this year was \$5,000,832.92 against \$7,333,783.67 for the same quarter of 1912, a decrease in Net Corporate Income of \$2,272, \$55.75.

Weekly Almanac.

Last Quarter, 21d day 7h 33m., morning New Moon, 28th day 1th 57m evening

Deaths.

A Al Jamestown, 23d inst., Phebe Carr, wife of Robert Henderson, aged & years. In Therton, 22d inst., Carrie C. (Threaber), wife of Charles H. Smith. In Bristol Ferry, 23d inst., Mary T., widow of Alfred Sisson, in her 92d year. In Portsmonth, 23th inst., Alfred Clark Chase in ballst rear our. nn Providence, 25th inst., Margaret Brown, widow of L. Augustus Darling, in her Sith rear.

HOUSES, SITES AND FARMS

Persons tiving in other States, away from Newport and wishing information for them selves or friends regarding Fenements Houses nroishel and wafarakael, and Farms or Sites for building, can ascertain what they WARL BY WEILING TO

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s'He married a widow and you can't
lie to a widow and get away with him.
Houston Post.

If you want to really know a man you must size him up when he thinks no one is watching him. "What would you call it to a man to stead all my best ideas?"
"Petty larceny,"—Battimore American,

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Attitude of Mexico Has Created **New Circumstances**

POLICY OF UNITED STATES

Outlined in Message to Congress. In Which Wilson Recommends That Americans Be Urged to Leave Country at Once-No Armed Intervention -Huerta's Impossible Terms

President Wilson played his trump card in the Mexican situation when he appeared before a joint session of congress to read a message which ad-

That all Americans be earnestly przed to leave Mexico at once,

That Mexico must be informed that summary numbers ment will be made if American lives are outraged: That he deems it duty to let the

various Mexican facilons fight out That he must prohibit shipment of

arms to both federals and rebels insure strict neutrality by the United That everyone in Mexico who as

sumes to exercise authority must know that this government "shall vigilantly watch the fortunes of those Americans who cannot get away and shall hold those responsible for their sain find those responsible for their suffering and losses to a definite reckoning. That can, and will be made plain beyond the possibility of a misunderstanding.

Accompanying the president's ad-dress was the reply of the Huerta government rejecting the American proposals. It was written by Foreign Minister Cambon. It suggested the following alternative policy for the United States:

Receptión of a Mexican ambassador in Washington.

That the United States send a new ambassador to Mexico without re-

Strict observance of the neutrality laws and "see to it that no material or monetary assistance is given to the rebels."

Unconditional recognition of the Hueria government.

Failure of the negotiations of Special Buyoy Lind was reported by the president. But he said the door is not closed to resumption of peace overtures.

The president regards the situation as critical. His address breathed friendship for the Mexican people, but extreme possimism as to the cutlook for immediate restoration of peace, because of President Huerla's

velection of the mediation plan.
The message was distinctly pacific in tone and contains little in the way of recommendation for future policy ernment must urge earnestly that all Americans should leave Mexico at once and that the United States should assist them to get out of Mex-

ico in every way possible."

The 'president counsels delay before further action is taken, and

"Impatience on our part would be childish and would be fraught with every risk of wrong and folly. The door is not closed against the resump-tion, either upon the initiative of Mexico or upon our own, of the effort o bring order out of the confusion by friendly co-operative action, should fortunate occasion offer.

"So long as the misunderstanding continues we can only await the time of their awakening to a realization to the actual facts. We cannot thrust our good offices upon them. The situation must be given a little more time to work itself out in the new circumstances, and I believe that only a little while will be necessary.

The circumstances are new. rejection of our friendship makes them new and will inevitably bring its own alterations in the whole as

pect of affairs.
"The actual situation of the authorities at Mexico City will present-

President Wilson last night warned once. At the same time the Amerisenistives throughout the southern republic were instructed to "notify abofficials, civil and military, in Mex-too" that they would be held strictly responsible for harm or injury done to Americans or their property.

Within a day or two an announcement is expected of the mobilization of a large number of American troops along the southern frontier to enforce neutrality in the traffic of arms and munitions of war into Mexico.

President Wilson was in touch with Assistant Secretary Breckenridge of the war department last night, but the Talure of his communication was not revealed. It is believed the president not only is preparing to strengthen the border patrol, but desires the strictest visitance by troops already watching the international boundary.

Turkey May Keep Adrianople The European powers have agreed to allow Turkey to retain Adrianople deapite threats of Bulgaria to try to retake that elly as soon as she can collect sufficient resources to declare

Meteor Churns a River The failing of a meteor into the Seaconnet river, churning up the waters in the most novel manner, is reported from Tiverton, near Fall River, Mass. Steam arose from the water in great volume and the explosion that

accompanied the fall sounded like the

firing of a twelve-inch gun Dead Man Blamed For Deaths Carelesaness and reckless driving by Chaufferr Walter Green was respon-Richardson, for his own death and the Ceaths of John P. Delaney and George Daller at Dedham, Mass.

THAW REMAINS IN CANADA JAIL

Fugilive May Have a Jury Trial If He So Desires

HE WILL NOT BE DEPORTED

Proceedings Are Thrown Back Where They Started From-"Most Glorious Day of My Life," Says Thaw, When He is Heartily Cheered by People of Sharbrooke

Harry K. Thaw is again in Sherbrook jail-to stay there until Oct. 14. Then the charge upon which he was arrested will be heard. Thaw gets a lury trial; if he wants it, and from the temper of the Canadian people he will

The fugitive won out on his babeas corpus proceedings, the petition for which is withdrawn on the court's order. The result of this is to throw the proceedings back where they started from with Thaw in jail on an imperfect: commitment and entitled to a jury trial. Only the minister of justice's interference can force action in Thaw's case,

The legal victory is of small moment as viewed from Thaw's standpoint. He was greeted as a hero on the way from fall to the court and on the way back to fall, both in the morning and in the afternoon. Wom-en threw kisses at him. blen tossed their hats in the air and cheered. And Thew was supremely happy,

"This is the most glorious day of my lite," he declared, . "I know now that the Canadians will do me jus-

Thaw may be admitted to bail it his counsel so desire—but they don' -not at present. The amount would be nominal, for the offense on which he is held is a minor one, but counsel for the prisoner stated that Thaw, determined to keep out of Mattea-Wan, will choose to remain in fall.

The afternoon's court proceedings, piled onto those of the morning, when New York authorities were given no chance to sneak before the court. constitute a grand slap at those are seeking to send Thaw back to Dattesvan

Not only were the proceedings sum mary, but were all done in French; which very few of those connected with the prosecution sneak fluority enough to follow a decision.

In his opening Judge Globensky rebuked severely the spectators for their conduct of the morning in cheering for Thaw. He then produced his de-cision, which he had carefully written out. He read it in French

"A man charged with a crime has a constitutional right if he is too impatient to wait until acquitted by the ordinary process of law to ask for his freedom through a will of habeas freedom through a writ cornus, which insures him an immediato hearing," said he.

"However, a prisoner is not obliged to demand his freedom in this way and if he reconsiders his decision to ask for freedom through the ordinary process and await the vindication of a jury he can do so. Therefore the application for discontinuance of the writ of habeas corpug is allowed."

So rictous was the scene in the superior court when, at the morning session, Judge Olobensky refused to allow counsel representing New York state to be party to the proceedings that the court subsequently warned spectators that a repetition of the cheering, chair-climbing, handker-chief-waving and general hysteria would mean juit sentences for the

demonstrante, Speaking from the bench at the afternoon session, he said that never in his experience as a member of the bar and of the bench had he been a

witness to "such a disgraceful scene." It was carried out in the presence of court attendaants and four armed dominion police, who stood immovable while emotional women rushed toward Stanford While's slayer, crying: "Three cheers for Thaw!" "Three cheers for the British flag!" "We will give you justice, Harry!

MICHAEL MAYBRICK DEAD

Composer of "Nancy Lee" and Many Other Popular Songs

Michael Maybrick, the English musical composer, who under the name of "Stephen Adams" wrote some of the most popular songs in the English language, died at Buxton, Eng., at the age of 69.

the age of 69.

Among his compositious were "Nancy Lee, "The Blue Alsatian Mountains," "The Holy City" and "A Warnor Bold." He was a native of Liverpool, but had lived for many years in the liste of Wight, where he devoted himself to municipal politics, serving five terms as mayor of Ryde.

GETS \$40,000 IN GIFTS

Thousands of Guests at Wedding of

Princess of Little Hell Thousands of residents of the Ital-Jan quarter in Chleago flocked to the home of the "kins" of "Little Hell" for the wedding of his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Kaplan. They showered her with presents to the value of \$40,-000 and drank wine which cost their host \$2500.

Frank Kaplan, father of the bride, who is regarded by the Italians as their unofficial leader, gave a \$10,000 check. He started in the district twenty-five years ago as a junk

Edward P. Weston, after a lifetime of walking on many famous trips, will become a Minnesota

A muddled political situation which New York city already faced was further complicated with the authorized declaration from Mayor Gaynor that he would run for re-election on an independent licket.

MAY BE LONG-SOUGHT THIEF

Society Man Placed Under Arrest at Atlantic City

Charged With Stealing \$5000 in Diamonda From Philadelphian-Prison.

ALLEGED ROBBER OF FRIEND

er inherited \$50,000 and Quickly Spent it-Suspected of Complicity In Thefts at Narragansett Plen Charged with jowel thefts which, it

in said, aggregate \$50,000, Harry E. Simonia, society man was arrested in the surf at Atlantic City, N. J. William Oliver of Philadelphia, one

of the alleged victims, pointed out Simonia, who was at the time in a balhing suit. Policeman Shaw, a sub in the detective bureau under Captain of Detectives Whaten, took the bather into custody.

While detectives have been searching in Newport, Narragansett Pier and elsewhere, Simonin has been ily-Ing quietly at 207 Madison avenue, a reasonably priced and respectable house, appealing to the trade of street car men. He rarely left this house, in the three weeks he lived there, except forgo bathing,

Sominin is 24 years of age and in-herited \$50,000 which he quickly spent, Oliver was his friend and picked him up in Philadelphia, taking him to his The charge is that Simonia eventually robbed the house of his benefactor, getting \$5000 in dia-monds. The prisoner admits his identity, but will make no statement beyond this.

Simonin had been recognized once or twice in the surf in the last week or so, and Oliver came here with detectives to locate him. Once before he was found at the Dunlop hotel in

Atlantic City, but escaped.
When his room was searched and Simonin's pockets examined, fifteen pawn tickets were found for jewels loft with brokers in Philadelphia and

All these diamonds will be recovered, and in this way it is expected that clues connecting Simonin with various mysterious society robberies will be obtained. He is suspected of complicity in such thefts at Narraganseit Pier, Washington and Balti-more, as well as in Philadelphia.

Simonin is being held for extradition to Pennsylvania.

ONE TERM A YEAR -

Proposition to Cut Out the Summer Sessions of Congress

The tedious grind of a summer sesalon of congress in Washington heat has had its effect on the new members of the house.
Representative Thompson of Illi-

nois, a Progressive, indicated this by introducing a bill to prevent summer sessions. He proposes that congress shall assemble once every year, and that in the years of the long sessions it shall convene in October inriead of December, thus preventing the extending of the session into the heated term.

Congress, under the bill, would meet in December only in congressioni election years.

PRINCESS INDIRA A BRIDE

Daughter of Gaekwar of Baroda Be

comes Wife of Prince Jitenra Two powerful native ruling families of British India were united when Princess India, only daughter of the reigning Maharajah Gaekwar of Baroda, were married in London to Prince Mitenra, son of the Maharajah of Cooch-Behar. The marriage fol-

lowed a romantic courtshin. The bride's father and her brother Shrimal Jalsingrao, are both well known in the United States, where the latter studied at Harvard. Her mother is a woman of advanced ideas and is the author of a book on the position of women in India

NO DANGER IN KISSING

Except When Observed by Angry

Parents, Says Health Officer Health Commissioner Young of Chicago declares thus: "A kiss is dan-gerous only when indulged in so as to lead to observation by an angry par-He defles any physician to

prove the contrary.

C. S. Drake, who believes in hygienic kissing, had a warning writton for the bulletin edited by Young. It told of the dangers of osculation, concluding: "Therefore kissing should be avoided—should not be indulged

"Cut R out," ordered Young. "Let people kiss all they want to."

LOOSE COINS BOTHERSOME

They Must Not' Be Left in Letter Boxes on Rural Routes

Picking up loose money has grown to be such a hardship for rural free delivery carriers that, the postoffice department issued an order warning reckless citizens against leaving loose coins lying around.

Hereafter coins must be tied in bundles or enclosed in envelopes whenever the patron of a rural route wants stamps from a carrier and leaves the necessary amount in the wasside box.

Killed Girl and Self A verdict that Carl W. Perry of Rockland, Me., shot Miss Angle Spear, his schoolmate and promised wife and then shot himself, was reported by the coroner's jury at the conclusion of an inquest on the finding of their bodies in a motor boat, discovered drifting in Penobscot bay.

MELLEN WILL STAY WITH NEW HAVEN

His Knowledge of New England Conditions is Valuable

Charles S. Mellen will not leave the service of the New Haven road on Aug. 31, but will remain in an advisory capacity at a salary which is small in comparison to that paid to him as president. His present salary is said to be \$50,000, in spite of all that had been said of

Mellen's management it was argued by some directors that it would be a mistake to allow him to go and lose his services at a time when they might be needed.

The plan is that President-to-be Elligit will make use of Mellen's knowledge of the New England rallroad situation in the constructive work of building up the road into a paying proposition.

Two Deathe on Jacob's Ladder. Two men were killed and five injured when the right rear wheel of the automobile in which they were riding collapsed on a sharp curve near the top of Jacob's Ladder, near Fittsfield, Mass., causing the machine to turn turils. The accident took place while the car was traveling at a speed of thirty miles an hour, down grade.

Aged Couple Killed

Shormen B. Porter and his wife, an aged Springfield couple, were instantive killed when their automobile was struck by an express train at a crossing near South Deerfield, Mass. Their chauffour escaped with minor in-

NEW ENGLAND GLEANINGS

Edward Wessel, a boy, was instantly killed and Niles P. Hough and Roswell J. Clapp were seriously injured when their automobile went over an embankment in Higganum, Conn., dropped fifteen feet to a brook and overlurned, pinning the occupants under it.

John Hiles, 13, was killed when a Central Vermont passenger train from Palmer, Mass., collided with a coal train on a side track, about a mits north of New London, Conn.
After a hearing at Pittsfield, Mass.,

betore Commissioner Woods, Antonio Blonze of Brooklyn, arrested in Springfield, charged with violating the Mann act, was held in \$10,000 bonds for trial in Boston.

The Fall River Iron Works company, owned by the M. C. D. Borden heirs resumed operations in full after fifteen weeks of idleness. This means that 8000 employes will share the weekly payroli of \$40,000.

Dillon Axworthy, a Pennsylvania colt, won the \$6000 American Horse Breeders' Futurity at Rockingham, N. H., park in straight heats. He took the lead in each of the two heats of the race and held it to the end,

Margaret Crows, 6 years old, was burned to death at Lowell, Mass., after her clothing had been ignited by a bonlire around which she was playing with a group of companions. An inventory of the estate of Can-

tain Lawrence of the Providence \$31,000 in local banks, which he had saved during his thirty-eight years on

The first Salvation Army corps to formed among prisoners east of Chicago was organized in the state prison at Windsor, Vt., by Salvation Army officials.

The nude body of a man with the head severed was found beside the railroad track between Belmont and Tilton, N. H., by the crew of an express train.

Mannasseh A. Spear of Brookline, mass., aged 52, shot himself through the heart a half-hour before he and his wife were to give up housekeeping by leaving their home to another fam-

Seaman Henry Hussaker, aged 20, of Tennessee, slipped on the deck of the gunboat MacDonough at the Charlestown navy yard and fell overboard and was drowned.

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the different in the common that it is a common the common that it is pread and our man it is of could not steep. It is of different kinds of raives, pills and liquids but to no specess. Then I used Cuteura Soap and Oletment. I washed the serves

Soap and Ointment. I washed the sore with Cuttern Soap then let them dry and then I used the Cuttern Ointment. In a few nights I could steep well and in two weeks my hands were completely cured." (Signed) Mrs. George Pelkey, Oct. 14, 1912. A generation of mothers has found no soap

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some men are like wheelbarrows.-a they wou't catty anything unless they are pushed.

If there is any crankiness in a man it will generally crop out when he's hungry.

Nicet of a man's wickedness comes from an axil heart, but let of his

from an evil heart, but a lot of his meauness comes from a bad liver,—.
Boston Transcript.

"That young man has Leen sowing his wild nate."
"Then no wonder he looks seedy,"

___ The ___+ Scrap Book

They Couldn't Either. She was a charming English girl, out she could not see the point of Her classmates at college, a joke. folly, fun loving girls, regretted this perious defect in their dear friend

and determined upon a reform.
So they made up a little joke with
a very broad point to apring upon
Evelyn that night. Accordingly when
they had all met in Evelyn's room Clara propounded the joke, which was really a riddle.

ally a ridule.
"Maud," she said, "can you tell me the best way to make a Maitese cross."
"No," replied Maud after due thought. "How do you make a Maltese cross?"
"Pull its fall," said Clara promptly,

The other girls tittered obblighigh, but Evelyn sat solemn as an owl with a puzzled frown on her classic brow. "What's the matter with you, Eve-lyn?" cried the girls, justly indignant.

tyar cried the girls, justly indignant. "Can't you see the point?"

Erelyn shook her head. "Ciris," she said regretfully, "I know it's awfully stupid of me, but I can't for the life of me see how any one could make a Maltese cross out of a pullet's fall."—National Monthly. tall."-National Monthly,

Gains For All Our Losses.
There are gains for all our losses,
There are balins for all our pain,
But when youth, the dream, departs
It takes something from our hearts,
And it never comes again.

We are stronger and are better. Under manhood's sterner reign. Still we feel that something sweet Followed youth with flying feet. And will never come again.

Something beautiful has vanished,
And we sigh for it in veia.
We behold it everywhere,
On the earth and in the nir,
But it never comes again.

"Richard Henry Stoddard.

Insulted His Patron.
Phil Morris, the eminent pertinit painter, who died when his fame was at its zenith, had a very unpleasant experience while visiting a wealthy merchant who had commissioned him to paint his wife and baby for the sum of £700. The first evening Mr. Morris and his "employer" were discussing the "pose," and the artist, thinking that he had hit on a brilliant suggestion, said it would be effective if the child were lying on the hearth rug with just a single garment on and his mether leaning over, playing "this little pig

"How dare you, sir! Do you wish to Insult me? I've half a mind to countermand my order!" roared the irate wealthy insgnate. Poor Phil Morris couldn't think what harm he had done until a few days later he learned that his patron had made his money in "pork" and was known as the "bacon king."-London Tit-Bits.

went to market."

Where it Did Most Good.

There was cause for an eruption in a downtown office one merning that, instead of causing a flow of lara of Yesuvian quality, will no doubt produce a lather of Vesurian quantity. large soap manufacturing firm sent a box of fine soap to the manager of the office, who handed it over to his dainthe regulation "Here, do you want this?" Later in the day Mr. Manager remarked that he wished to dictate a letter of thanks to the manufacturer and began, "My Dear S.—I want to thank you for the box of scap, and you may be sure I have put it where it will be the west co." it will do the most co"-But the stenographer had fuinted.—Indianapo-

A Boomerang Speech The last time William Jennings Bryan was campaigning for the presidency Colonel C. W. Bolen of Michigan was on a train that was delayed by a washout in the southwestern part of the country. Bolen's remarkable personal resemblance to Bryan soon resulted in the circulation of a report that the Nebraskan himself was on the train The people from the nearest town had congregated about the rear coach and were shouting lustily for Bryan. Colonel Bolen tried to persuade them that be was not Bryan and added that he was a stanch Republican, both of which facts were true.

These announcements. bowever, brought forth only laughter, cheers and renewed requests for a speech. Finally Bolen yielded and delivered to the crowd a hot Republican speech, thinking that in this way be would do much damage to the Bryan cause.

A few weeks later Bolen got up a speaking acquaintance on the train with a man from the town in which he had made the speech.

"Our town was not much for Bryan," temarked the stranger, naming the town, "until he happened to pass through there one day and, after pretending that he was not Bryan, made a rattling good speech from the platform of the car. As a result of that accident the town has flopped over to Bryan completely." - Detroit News-Tribune.

All invalids. Father Bernard Vanghan is still telling Londoners good stories of his ex-periences during his recent tour in America

At St. Louis a boastful American said to him: "Look at our Mississippi and Hudson rivers! Why, compared With them your Mercey and Severn and Thames are sleepy, sickly streams."

"I think yours are just as sickly as curs," observed Father Vaughan. "How do you make that out?" de-

manded the other,

"Well, they are all confined to their beds!" Father Vauchan replied.

The Milky Way.

Among the Greeks the Milky way was known as the Galaxy and the Cir tle of Milk. The Chinese and Ambiens call it the Celestial river. Some of the American Indian tribes regarded it as the path of departed souls to the stirit land, and in England it used to be familiarly called Jacob's ladder.

ALONG: THE ROAD.

I walked a mile with Pleasure, Sho chattered all the way, For all she had to say.

I waited a mile with Sorrow, And no'er a word said she-But, oh, the things I learned from her

When Borrow walked with

-Robert Browning Hamilton.

THE NEED OF A NAVY.

We see before our eyes at this moment a great and populous empire, now a great and popu-lous republic-China, which has suffered partial dismemberment purely because she has permitted herself to become impotent in war, so that she has no mavy and not an adequate army. In consequence Russin, Japan, Germany, England and France now hold Chinese provinces, some of them themselves the size of em-pires. If the American people deliberately chose to follow in Chlueso footsteps, doubtless some decades would pass before we should suffer to the extent of Clibia, but long before that time had come we should have had to abandon all pretense of upholding the Monroe dectrine, we should have had to abandon Panama and Alaska and every insular possession, and wo should have had to surrender all right to say what immigrants shall and what immigrants shall not be admitted to our country and the terms upon which they shall come here and become clinens or hold land. Let it be understood that every man who votes to stop building up the navy or stop fortifying the canal is voting to put us in a position where we cannot even resent in sult, let alone ourselves insuit ing others with impunity, us remember that the policy of uniting the unbridled tongue and the unready hand is a polfey of criminal folly. The most dangerous of all positions for any nation is to be onulent, agessive and unarmed. - Theo-

COMBINATIONS.

dore Roosevelt.

Combinations may exist for a good purpose, just as they may exist for a bad purpose, wheth-er among business men, among farmers, among laborers, and, as regards all of them, our aim should be effectively to suppress combinations that work and also to favor those that do well, while nevertheless exercising over them such thoroughgotug control as to enable us to be sure that they in very fact do well alike to competitors, to wage workers and to the generat public. If a corporation or a combination makes for efficlency we favor it, provided the benefits are shared with reasonable equality among the employers and capitalists, the workers and the general public. It, however, the so called efficlency represents merely profits for the employer obtained by exploiting the workmen or mistreating his rivals or swindling the general public, then our de-sire is not merely to stop the practices, but to punish those who lake part in them, It is our aim to help legitimate business. We wish to see the business man prosper and make money, but unless he does prosper and make money be can neither permanently pay good wages to his employees nor permanently rengood service to the public.-Colonel Roosevelt.

FAMILIAR SAYINGS

"Variety's the spice of life" and "Not much the worse for wear" were coined by Cowper. Edward Young tells us "Death loves a shining mark" and "A fool at forty is a fool indeed."

"Of two evils I have chosen the less" and "The end must the less" and "The end must justify the means" are from

GEMS OF THOUGHT.

Health is the second blessing that we mortals are capable ofa blessing that money cannot buy.-Isaac Walton.

Only the actions of the just Smell sweet and blossom in the -James Shirley.

As the ancients Say wisely, Have a care o' th' main chance And look before you leap, For as you sow ye are like to

reap. -Samuel Butler.

Since knowledge is but sorrow's BDY. It is not safe to know.

-Sir William Davenant.

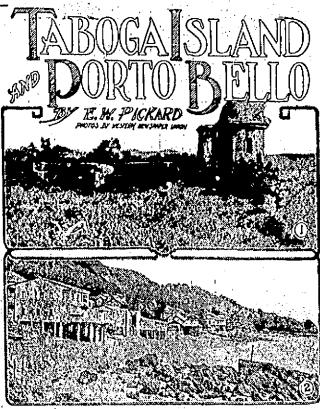
From ignorance our comfort flows -Prior.

Icdine.

Iodine acts as a healing remedy as well as a disinfectant and is especially telpful for wounds caused by rusty nails, etc.

Our Many Mines.

Mines in the case I States are nomerous. There mines, and dough 6,500 couldires there are d developing. for v. shout 6.0



1-Remains of One of the Spanish Forts at Porto Bello. 2-Native Villago on Taboga Island.

"Down verdure-clad alopes and ter. Spanish days will be weefully disracing reaches Where orange and mange and pine-

apple grow, wanders through Eden to ocean-

washed beaches-An Edon that only the sun-children

know."

Thus James S. Gilbert, the late la-mented poet of Panama, wrote of Taboga Island. It was so enticing that I determined to be one of the sun-children for a day or two and so steamed away in a little launch twelve miles out into the Pacific to that beauty spot. It is all that Mr. Gli-bert called it, and more, and it is no wonder that the sanitarium, estab-lished there by the French canal company and recpened by the Americans, is so well patronized. If you are a canal employe-white-and been ill, the doctor may be enough to send you over to Taboga for two weeks to recuperate. If you are a mere visitor you can put up at the unpretentious little hotel conducted by William Jones, the American six-footer who looks like a miner and dances like a cotilion leader. In either case you will be fortunate, for you will find those "verdure-clad slopes" gergeous with flowers and alive with brilliant birds, and the "ocean-washed benches," the finest places in the world for a swim. You can sail about the pretty bays with the native ashermen, or you can climb up the hills where the boys are vociferously driving the kine home to be milked, or you can merely lie in the shade and dream dreams of the Spanish galleons and the buccaneers. A more delightful place for rest and

the repair of shattered nerves would

be hard to find.

Tabuga has a history, too, small as it is. De Luque, the second bishop of Panama, looked upon the island, law that it was good and established there his country residence. In fact he maintained a household there the year round, for, like many another churchman of the old days, he did not adhere closely to the rule of colloacy His memory is preserved by a bath ing place in a stream that runs down the mountain side, called the Bishon's Pool. It was reserved for the use of him and his retinus. Above it is the Family Pool, for women and children, and still higher up is the Pool of the Letters, for the men. The last one derives its name from the inscription "J. F. B., Obio" carved on a near-by rock. This is a reminder that in 1852 the Fourth infantry, U. crossed the lathmus on route for garrison duty in California, having sailed from New York on the United States mail steamer Onlo. Cholera was prevalent at the time in and the sallors from the Ohio were uttacked by the disease, about eighty of them dying. Some of the sick were left on Taboga island to recover, and evidently one of them did recover sufficiently to climb up to the bathing pool and leave the record that is a mystery to the native inhabitants of this day. Incidentally U. S. Grant, then a captain, was with

the Fourth infantry on that trip. If you climb up the hill following this stream most of the way, you will come to a place at the summit of a pass called Las Cruces. There, set in cement, are three small crosses; commemorating the most exciting in-cident in the island's history. Ac-cording to a Spanish work written early in the last century, a shipload of Peruvian pirates came sailing up the coast in 1815 and decided Taboga was a good place to look. They landed and drove the small Spanish gar rison out of the village and up the chronicler, a most bloody combat were routed and fied to their ship, leaving three men dead on the field

The isthmus recks with history. some of the most interesting passages of which have to do with Porto Bello. But the risitor who goes there with mind full of the mighty

Not Going to Waste It.

Y use Man (whi-pering to jeweler)
-That engagement ring I bought of
you visterlayJeweler-What's the matter with it?

Da' it fir? D of it for Y one Man (contionals) - 'Shi It di n't have a charce. Grouns studs

appointed by the town as it now is Romanco, commerce, everything attractive has fled long ago from that place and Porto Bello is nothing but a dirty, immorel little village full of low cantinus, slatternly natives and mangy curs. At each side of the town is the rule of a Spanish fort, its picturesqueness marred by fisher men's nets and the local hung up to dry.

Thus the work of man has decay but Nature is as kind as ever to Porto Bello. Its bottle-shaped har bor is one of the prettiest found, with promotories guarding the entrance, beautiful hills on both sides and entrancing little rivers meandering down from the mountains and through the jungle into Its upper end. One hill opposite the town bossis the remains of three unusually interesting Spanish forts. One is at the water's edge, another several hundred yards up the slope, and these two were once connected by a covered stone stairway the rulns of which still provide the easiest means of ascending. On the summit of the hill is the third fort, a mighty square tower surrounded by a deep moat. The walls are almost intact but the roof has fallen in and the fortress is full of trees and shrub-

With these three forts, two others protecting the harbor entrance, the two at the ends of the town and another just above it, Porto Bello might well seem to have been imprognable, yet it was taken twice by the Eng lish. Sir Francis Drake planned to capture it in 1596, but just as his hips were about to begin the attack Drake died and was buried in the mouth of the barbor. Dispirited by the loss of their leader, the Euglish sailed away, but Capt. William Parker took up the project in 1502. White two ships he got past the first forts at night and after a desperate fight captured and sacked the city, carrying off 10,000 ducts' worth of plunder.

The second taking of Porto Bello was the first notable exploit of Henry Morgan, the famous buccaneer, as an independent commander of a fleet. Sailing into what is now Colon harhor, he took his men up a river in canoes, landed at a place called Estera Longa Lemos and marching through the jungle, attacked the city from the rear. First capturing the castle above the town, he shut the garrison in one room and blow them and the fort to pieces with gunpow-der. The governor, the citizens and the rest of the soldlers, surprised and terror-stricken, were soon driven into One of the other forts and for hours they bravely withstood the assaults ing tells us, Captain Morgan began to despair of the whole success of the enterprise. Finally he had a number of ladders made and forced the prilests and nuns whom he had captured to set them up against the walls. Many of these poor creatures were killed by the defenders, but at last the ladders were placed and the buccaneers swarmed up them carrying fireballs and pots of powder which they kindled and buried among the Spaniards. The garrison surroudered at discretion, but the gallant governor defended himself so obstinately that the English were forced to kill him. Morgan remained in Porto Bello seyeral weeks, plundering the place and torturing the citizens to induce them to reveal the hiding places of their

Though an important place to the transatipment of gold from the west coast of South America, Porto Bello never was a large town, but for sevrison out of the village and up the level was a large town, but not accommountain. But in the pass the sol, eral weeks each year it was very diers rallied, the inhabitants came to populous. This was at the time of their assistance and there, says the the annual fair, when the gulleons chronicler, a most bloody combat from Spain were in the harbor waitraged for hours. Finally the pirates ing for the mule trains to bring the gold from Panama. Then merchants and adventurers from all that part of the world gathered in the village and trade was brisk in the big building now called the custom house, whose ruined walls still are standing. chandising, drinking and fighting divided the time until the galleons set sail fights and great trade of the old for Spain with their golden cargoes.

Mrs. R-lly-"This neighborhood seems a bit noisy, Mrs. Flynn." Mrs. Flynn." Wrs. Flynn." Wrs. Flynn." Wis. mi only time it's quick here is whit the elevated train goes by and drawes th' noise!"-Ponch.

Bond, Doo't you restize that marriage broaders a man? Benedict. On, yes, I surproced can be put that way, but "fit out" is the word I've always need.—Loo don Tit-Bits.

CHEAP LABOR PERIL.

Many large employers of labor would be delighted to have the (elera) government, through its treaty making power, hold down the bars and let in the alien. What would become of the American farmer if the great corporations of the country should enter the land market, buy all of the best lands of the country and then cultivate them with Mongolian, Chinese, Hindu, Japanese and other cheap allen labor? The rich and the pewerful will have their fortunes vasily increased by having all barders to cheap labor broken down. They know that the quickest and surest route is through the treaty making pow er, because they only deal first with one man, the president, and one body, two-thirds of the senate. — Representativo - Sisson of Mississippi.

WHAT COUNTS.

It isn't the brains a man bas in Or the skill that he has in his

It isn't the books he has studled or read

Or his fortune in money or land

That makes a man likuble lovublo here.

For many a miser is smart. It's not what a brother can do we hold dear,

But Just what he is in his heart.

It isn't the wonderful heights be

It isn't the medals he wears. It isn't the fact that by many he's hailed

With applause for the deeds that be dares That makes a man welcome wherever he goes.

A leader, unmourned, may do-For the thing men revere isn't

glory that shows. But the glory that's bid in the

-Edgar A. Guest

THE INCOME TAX.

I regard as most dangerous at the present time the disposition of legislative bodies to pass laws which are calculated to produce classes. I think, for lastance, the proposition to assess the incomes of men who are receiving more than \$4,000 and to exempt the incomes of these who receive less is one of the worst things that have ever happened in this country, because it immediately arrays 07 per cent of the people against 8 per cent. I have no objection to an income tax when and as needed. I have nothing to say, against an income tax as a principle. But to make 07 per cent of the people interested in favor of an income tax which exempts them and which compels the 3 per cent to pay these large sums of money is a very large mistake. I cannot look upon it except as the beginning of forcible dis-tribution of wealth, however honestly acquired.—Judge E. H.

The happiest women, like the happiest nations, have no history.-George Ellot.

Happiness consists in activity. It is a running stream and not a stagnant pool.-J. M. Good.

The rays of happiness, like those of light, are colorless when unbroken.-Longfellow.

All who would win joy must show it. Happiness was born a twin.—Byron.

Consider pleasures as they depart, not as they come.—Aristotle.

BYRON ON LOVE. Farewell! If ever fondest pray-

For other's weal availed on hìgh, Mine will not all be lost in air, But waft thy name beyond the

Maldens, like moths, are ever caught by glare, And Mammon wins his way where seraphs might despair.

Alas, our young affections run to waste Or water but the desert.

Yes, love indeed is light from beaven. A spark of that immortal fire,

With angels shared, by Allah given, To lift from earth our low desire.

She was his life. The ocean to the river of his thoughts. Which terminated all.

Oh, lovely woman, do not frown!
Your way is surely right.
Yote, if you will, but please put down
That can of dynamite. -Washington Star.

Mantel-I had no idea that Banks was worth more than ten millions.
Dunlop-He wasn't until the government dissolved his trust-Brooklyn

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mme. Schumann-Heluk is now raising oranges near San Diego, Cal. Mrs. John Buzzell, an active lady of ninety years, recently traveled alone from Florida to New Hampshire.

Muse. Hatoyama, a Japaneso wo-man who was educated in this country, states in an castern paper that Japan has no old maids and therefore

to suffrage question. Miss Nellie O'Farrell of San Francisco, who has gained considerable notice as the first woman wireless operator in the world, has retired from the operators' field. She was married

Miss Hallio M. Daggett, said to be the first woman in the United States appointed to the position of lookout t a forest reserve station, lives in Sisklyou county, Cal. She has been placed in charge of Eddy's guich placed in charge of radys guen lookout, altunted on a peak of the Salmon Alps, 0,000 feet high. Her duty is to keep a lookout for fires and report to the nearest forest station.

Ancient Cities.

Jerusalem in the days of Solomon probably did not contain 20,000 people. Constantinople at the time of its greatest uplendor as capital of the east-

ern empire had a population of about

1,500,000. Habylon, whose name has come to be synonymous with dense population, never had over 1,200,000 inhabitants

in its palmiest days, Rome, the mistress of the world, the great city to which all roads led, "Rome the Eternal," did not exceed 2,000,000 in population. Gibbon, indeed, believes that it had only 1,200,000.

Athens when sho led the Greek states in repelling the invasion of Xerxes had only 30,000 inhabitants, but Herodotus speaks of this number as if it was something to boast of.

Flippant Flings.

Congress has had a special prayer book printed for its own use. Woknow of no institution that needs one more.—Boston Transcript,

A woman writer says that in ninety-cases out of a hundred a man's vulnerable spot is his vanity. Who is the traiter that has been giving us away?-Cloveland Leader.

It is announced by a French scientist that man is descended from the frog. This is terrible. Think of the number of Frenchmen who will be worried when it occurs to them that they have eaten their grandfathers! - Chicago Record-Herald,

Suffragette Skirts.

Having seen a picture of the new suffragette skirt, it is our notion that it brings the waist line into too close propluquity with the lower deek of a ouble chin to be an artistic success.-Toledo Blade.

The newest importation from Paris is a skirt having two pockets, one of which is a dummy with hooks. One gets into the skirt through this pocket. Heretofore women have got into their clothes through their husbands, pockets, and this may explain why the new garment is called "the suffrage skirt."-Cleveland Plain Dealer,

Town Topics.

New York has homegurated church services on the tops of skyscrapers. That's getting nearer beaven.—Boston Franscript.

Knusas wants to know what to do with 1,200 abandoned churches. In Cleveland they are useful as garages and raudeville houses. - Cleveland Chicago's health department advises

eltizens to keep their temper in hot weather, that being about the only thing that the pickpockets and bur-giars there can't steal.—Detroit Free

Aerial Flights.

The aeropiane yet remains a dangerous plaything.—Baltimore American.

Cody promises to hurdle the Atlantic in an airship in twenty hours without stopping. Lest fellow who tried it got his feet wet.-New York American.

Still another German dirigible has encountered a squall to its own great disadvantage. All that stands in the way of making the dirigible airship an assured commercial proposition is the unfortunate liking for play the wind has for huge bulks that are lighter than air.-New York World.

Three Strikes. -

How Joe Tinker hates to beat the Cobs!--Chicago Tribune, Ignorance of baseball achieves its-

supreme manifestation in the grand stand.-Philadelphia Ledger. One hideous injustice of the silly sex-

son is that everybody can get away with an alibi except a baseball team-Cleveland Leader,

Facts From France.

The fire department of Paris is under direct control of the war minister. Every day Oronnar, France, prosuces 15,000 to 18,000 pounds of cellafold combs.

France has spent \$35,000,000 in plant ing trees on the watersheds of important streams.

With the object of mitigating the floods on the river Seine and improving industrial communication, \$25.50. 600 is to be expended in Paris, with come ald from the state.

Spots on the Nails

A suste made of equal pures of torpentine and myrch applied to the white spots on finger mills will prevent their from developing.

Children Ory FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA 2. 特别的基础是可能。

[Providence Tribune.]

Providence Tribune.]
The recent visit of the Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Danlels, to Kespott has served, other again, to call attailor to a remarkable Naval workshop located in Ruode Island—the Navy Torpado Station. Many of the visit of the Navy Tard and the Navy Training Station. But few hare secured the privilege of sectering the torpado station on Gast Island, where the most intricate problems in Naval warfare, except in seamauship, its solved,

Nava white, accept in eauthautif, as solved, and extending opposite to and slong the entire water frost of Newport, and dividing the inner from the color harbor. Its importance as a means of defense to the town was recognized in early colonial days; and since 1702 and until twas occupied as jorgedo station at contained a fort which at times was fully garrhened. Soundy after the Civil War Admiral Soundy after the Civil War Admiral Soundy after the Civil War Admiral Parter conceived the idea of establishlog a torstedu solicol, where the officers of the Navy could be instructed to the manufacture and due of torpedoes. In this he was seconded by Admiral Case, the theu Objet of the Bureau of Ord-

nauce.
Commander E, O. Matthews, who within a short time was promoted to Rear Admiral, was selected to found the proposed institution and was ordered June 9, 1869, to the Bureau of Nawigation as Instructor of the torredu curps. During the following Summer-ter was directed to selvet a suitable place for beauquarters, and it was lin-stly determined to establish the station at Gost Island which needed only to be transferred from the War to the Navy Department.

GROWTH OF STATION.

In the following deptember Com-mander Matthews took possession and completed the construction of the necessary buildings. The old frame building which had been used by the Naval Academy was converted for the time being into a machine shop and the old barracks, now the commandant's beautiful the structure. dant's beauquatters, were bited for olnces and a temporary manufacturing

hees and a temporary in the lug Nina is botatory. In the following Spring the lug Nina was ordered to the station for gederal use, several additional officers had been ordered there for duty, a chemist employed and during the Bunning the manufacture of intro glycetin was communication.

manufacture of intro glycerin was commenced.

In 1871 and 1872 four small cottages were built for the use of the officers, the commandant having headquarters fitted up for him in the old barracks building; and in the latter year the machine shop was stated, being fielshed ne following Spring. In 1872 the late Moses G. Framer was succired as electrician and instructor in electricity. The first class for matriction was ordered in the station on Nov. 1, 1870, 'remaining until the following April, and classes were thereafter ordered to the station each succeeding year.

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Commander Matthews was relieved of the command July 1, 1873, by Capt, Edward Simpson. During the Summer of 1874 the electrical laboratory was built and at this time a change was made in the time for which the classes were ordered for duty at the stailou, the classes thereafter reporting in July and so cannage thereafter in June, 1875, by Capt. K. R. Brese, and he in 1878 by Capt. F. M. Rameay. Capt. Rambay was followed in 1881 by Capt. T. O. Belfridge, who was in command four years, and who was in command four years, and who was himself succeeded by the the Commander William T. Sampson, the commander William T. Sampson, the commander Gaspat F. Goodrich took command, served three years and was succeeded in 1803 by Commander G. A. Converse, who also served four years. served four years.

CHANGING CHARAGTER OF WORK.

The character of the work at the station has changed materially as it has developed. The original intention was to have merely a sound in torpedo work for the officers of the Navy; it work for the officers of the Mayy; it has become one of the most important adjuncts of the Mayy, but not entirely in the line laid out by its founders.

It is now no longer merely a school for the instruction in the manufacture and handling of teachers.

As a bown to longer therely a school for the instruction in the manufacture and handling of torpedoes, but a pice and handling of torpedoes, but a pice where the most introduce problems in Naval warfare, except in seamouship, are solved, and where the advantages of disadvantages of the loventloos are developed. Until within a faw years classes of officers were ordered to the station every Summer to learn the rudiments of torpedo work, the construction, littlug and discharging of torpedoes, the manufacture and uses of gun cotton and other high explosives and other special lines of work.

Many of those officers returned later for further study, and a few became in turn instructors. In 1894 the last officers clear was sent to the island and how the only instruction is for the seamen ginners.

These young men, selected mostly from the Naval apprentices on account of their special aptitude for the work, artificial given six months' course in ordenace at the gun foundry in Washington and then come to the torpedo station, from 15 to 30 at a time for lualtuction in diving, torpedo assembling, electrical, torpedo and searchlight work, to preparation for service on shippoard to the care of the compil-cated modern guns, escribinghts and electrical machinery. 'At the station many of the American invanted.

invented automobile invented automobile torpedes have been developed and put on trial, and the most successful have proven their advantages at the hands of the station officers. The use of the spar torpedo was also developed there and finally discated as well as the station of the spar torpedo was also developed there and finally discated as well as the station of the spar torpedo was also developed there and finally discated as well as the station of the spar torpedo was also developed there and finally discated as well as the station of the spar torpedo the station of the station of the spar torpedo the station of th discarded as unserviceable in modern

Tas manufacture of gaucotion for As manufacture of guddening to the con-traction of the smokeless powder bas-ben developed, and is now one of the most important branches of the work al the ristion. Many mechanical and electrical devices acknowledged to be invaluable on modern warships were invented by officers located at the station and tion and were thoroughly tested there. Too Navy small arm supplied to the ships and stations were tried under the direction of the torpedo corps, the data for their trials having been prepared at the torpedo station on Gast Island.

EXCELLENT PLANT.

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Tuste have been many developments at the station during the past few years. The building up of the excellent plant was completed during the time. Ommander Converse was in charge of the station. When he took command much of the work now done at the station was done elsewhere. To repedoer was being shipped there to the various visual and littled on shipbard at the visions Nivel stations. Now the work has increased to such an extent that all the material in the rough is prepared at Goat Island and the fluished article is

placed on the ship in proch less time and in better condition than ever be-

Bome years ago the machine work Some years ago the machine work on electric primers, used to discharging torpedose, was done in Washington, the filling only being done at the torpedo station. But now the entire work—the making of the primers, the filling of the shells and the electrical fitting—is completed at Newport. The entire electrical equipment—the construction and testing of the dry batteries, the casings and connections—is all executed at the shellon, so that when a ship reaches Newport for its torpedo outlit the machinets are prepared to go aboard, make all the attachments and torstathe outlit is a manner far in advance of that in which it was formerly vauce of that in which it was formerly

doire,
The man are able to do much of the special machine work for lighter outnance—the retubing of billers for torredo boats and the lining up of the
builters for the smaller boats, work
which had required the sending of the
boats to the larger Navy Yards where
less satisfactory results were obtained
and a much longer time was required
for its accomplishment. for its accomplishment.

CHEMIST'S DEPARTMENT.

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When the trials for the selection of a small arm for the Navy were in progress all the tests for ascertaining the weight of the cartridges, the bors of the rifle and the weight of the projectile were made at the station and the competitive trials were also conducted thers. A most complete record of forpedo data has been worked out and the station is supplied with more thorough information on this subject than any information on this subject than any of the Naval Powers, although the United States is younger in torpedo

practice, "The chemist's department, like the others, is recognized as an important feature of the station, and its represenreactive of the waters, and the represen-tatives are called upon to investigate almost every possible occurrence in the Navy, out of the ordinary, and have teen of assistance to many ways. Searchlight practice as applied to tor-

pede attack has received its only real study to our Navy in Navragament Bay, under the torpedo station officers. In fact, the torpedo Station is expected to give expert testimony and reports of every sort in the Navy, except in the matter of sesmanship. No place con-nected with the Navy can duplicate the work which is being done there. The development of the gun cotton manu-facture has also been one of the most important features of the work in recent vests.

The six buildings which took the place of the old factory which was burned nearly 20 years ago are located on a broad plateau on the western side of the island, with high carth barricades separating them from the other buildings and from each other, to prevent the apreading of fire should a blaze be started in one of them.

In each building each part of the work is done and the several buildings are connected with a railway upon which the material is carried from one to another. Here much of the smoke part of the shocker. The six buildings which took the

to another. Here much of the smoke-less powder used in the Navy is manu-factured, the gun cotton made there be-ing used almost exclusively for the Here much of the amokepowder.

Everybody Lucky.

An old farmer in Missouri called at a roadside public house where he was well known. The landlady asked him to buy a ticket for a lettery they had

"Well," he said, "I have nothing in

"Well," he said, "I have nothing in my pocket, or I might."
"Oh, thut's all right, John," she said, "lake the ticket and pay for it any time."
Bones time later John called again, and the landlady asked him if he know who had won the lottery.
"No," he said, "who won?"
"Well, I hardly duret tell you, but our Sam won. Wasn't he lucky?"
"Yes," said John, "he was lucky. And, who was second then?"
"I durat hardly tell you. Who would you think now?" said John.
"Yell, it was our Saily. Wasn't she lucky?"

lucky?"

"And who was third?"

"Well," she said, "you would never puess, and I might as well tell.
I was third. Wasn't I lucky?"

"You wore." no said. Did I ever pay

you for that sicket, Missus?"

"No, Jonn, you didn't," she said, frowning upon him.

"Well," said John, "ala't I lucky?"

-Country Gentleman,

It Looked That Way.

They were speaking of modern woman and her fulbles the other day when Congressman Wyat Alken of Bouth Carolina, amilingly observed that he was reminded of a marriage

proposal in his home state.

John Henry called on Martha one avening, and telling her that she was sweeter than any girl who ever worked to a candy factory, and said he would like to have her visiting cards changed to Mrs. J. H.

"Do you really and truly love me, John?" she tenderly asked, looking at him with her beautiful brown eyes.

him with her beautiful brown ages,
"Better than anything else ou
earth," little girl," eloquently replied
the enamored J. Henry, "Have you
any reason to doubt it?"
"I don't know, John," softly sighed
the dear one, "Woulln't you go
through fire and water for me?"
"Look here, Martha Jane," de-

tarough are and water for me?"
"Look here, Martha Jane," demanded John Heary, with a searching granco at the girl, "are you one of those militant suffragettes?"

· Her Preference.

"In Nebraska some time ago, said the congressman, "two young ladies met after a seperation of more than a year,',
"Yes, I have secured a position,"

"Yes, I have secured a position," and one in response to a query of the other. "I am now teaching school! "Teaching achool! exclaimed the second, with a large look of surprise, "You don's really mean it! Why, I would rather marry a soft, fat, bald-heated widower with eight children than teach achool."

"Yes," replied the first with something akin to a soulful sigh, 'and so would I,"

Customer (to watchmaker)—I told you that my watch lost half an hour every day, and now that you've resisted it it gains half an hour. Watchmaker—Well, don't complain. It's only working to catch up lost time.

No man was ever so much deceived by another sa by himself .-- Greville.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Apples in New England,

By GEORGE FRENCH.

By George French.

Two or three years ago a man bought a farm not far from Boston on which there were about 400 Baldwto apple trees. They were about 25 years old, and had been conscientiously neglected. They were in had condition, and the new owner debated whether he would try to have them doctored up or cut them down. He was strongly inclined for the axe, but he refeated ecough to consult a tree doctor as to the initial cost for necessary surgery and notice. The tree man eald about \$700 to start. The owner declared for the axe. But there was a bit of parley, and at length, is a spirit of bravado, the owner offered the tree man all the first crop of apples after treatment and half of the two succeeding crops, in lieu of a fre in cash. The tree man accepted, He put about \$800 into the orchard at once, it was April. He sald about 1,000 barrels of No. I apples that fall, filled the owner's cellar with accounts, made a lot of eider, and had all the apples his firm could use, beside giving away many lots. He got back about two dollars for every one he apput, and had two half yearly crops coming to thin, ife turned the orchard back to the owner; having demonstrated what proper treatment will do for neglected New England orenards.

This is a sample. I could go on and fill a page with just such stories, all true.

This is a sample. I could go on and fill a page with just such stories, all true, and all varifactor from data I have on file. And then I would not have begua to tell the tale about the apple-possibilities of New England. The West or the Northwest have nothing that an expression with the parabilities. that can compare with the possibilities of New Eugland—the proved, demoustrated possibilities—in the way of apple raising.

There is a resson. It is the land and

This files fesson. It is the sand and the climate. God made New Rogistid the potential orchard of the world. The mea of New England are beginning to realize what riches there are in the rocky pa three that they have bated to have averesed at a few dollars per are. The saleshifts reaches have here started have assessed at a few dollars per acre. The scientific reasons have been stated by the Department of Agriculture, and by many expert. I have not space to go into the matter, except to say that it is the rocks of New England that make the appie land. The rocks have made nearly all of the New England land, But little of it has come from other sections that are the same of the iour little of it has come from other sec-tious through the agency of water. But little of it has been blown from other regions by the winds, It has been slowly formed by the disintegration of the bottom rock formation that underlies New England. That rock has the chemicals that are necessary for good apple culture. Therefore the native soil of nost New England sections has in it the essential saits and chemicals that must be present in the best apples. The rest is easy. It is easy to supply the humus to make the trees grow. It is not practicable to supply the chemi-

Thus it happens that while the famous apple regions of the West and ous apple regions of the West and Northwest produce beautiful apples, and apples having a flue flavor of their own, they cannot grow the New England apples with the New England flavor and character. The best apple that the West can produce cannot compare with the best New England apple. That is a trulem that does not have to be argued. The New England is allowing, Rhode Island Greening, Roxbury Russet, Hubbardston, Nouesuch, Old Nonesuch, Boy, Porter, Gravenstein, Yellow Beilflower, Red Astraction, and a dozen others that can be mentioned, do not come out of the West.

do not come out of the West.

In New England also the craps far exceed those of the West. The trees are larger, and it is a fact that they bear parties to pecks from the western trees. I remember a famous apple grower from the Middle West ouch told me, with great pride, that his frees averaged a bushel each. Heas him! How small that quantity seems to us New Englanders who have been reck. New Englanders who have been reckoning our apple crops in terms of barrelis per tree. And in New England
the trees live and bear for a hundred
years, if they have any kind of care,
and many thousands have lived to
that age, or longer, and borne good
fruit every other year, that have had
no cars at all—just have not been cut
down and burned in the kitchen
stoves. The weetern apple tree has a
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But 'the proof of the pudding is in chewing the string," as they way in the New England classics, so let us see what has been done, by citing a few experiences. I won't give the names or towns, but I have them, every one, and can produce them II necessary. Your real New England farmer does not court personal notoriety. He likes to talk about his farm, and what he does on and with it, but he hates to be does on and with it, but he hates to be pointed out in prim. Facts are pretty good arguments. It is what the land really does, rather than what it may be supposed to be capable of doing that establibes the standing of a rection, for

tactines the standing of a rection, for apples, polatices, wheat, cattle, hogs, or anything else.

Let me say, right here, that no one in New England is so foolight as to claim or think that there is not a lot of good apple land in other states—in New New the Middle States have parts of the Middle States. or think that there is not a lot of good apple land to other states—to New York, the Middle States, some parts of the South, etc. But they do not raise New England apples anywhere but in New England, and there is no other section where the possible profit is as large. Land values are very low in New England, and transportation is cheap. A car of opples from the farthest point in New England to market costs around \$30, while from Oregon to market it costs about ten times that some in New England the good money for apples is now coming from renovated orchards rescued from poverty by a little common-sense and cash. The state of Mains bought a farm with \$,100 apple trees. The first year's crop was 90 batters. The first year's crop was 90 batters. Eight hundred trees were cut down, and in 1912, three years after the purchase, the crop of apples totalled \$,200 barrels. At the Boaton fruit show last year one man showed 11 batters of apples from one 20-year-old tree. Another man showed 95 pounds from a 7-year-old tree, while another showed 7,505 apples for a 15-year-old tree—which must have been nearly or quite 20 barrels.

A Massachusetts man had a lot of high, woody Raldwin ***ana**

7,605 apples for a 15-year-old tree-which must have been nearly or quite 20 barrels.

A Massachusetts man had a lot of high, woody Baldwin trees in the patter, yielding but little froit, and that luttle poor. He got an "Aggy" man to tell him what to do, spent \$50 for pruning, but not a cent for fertilizers or spraying, and the second year and 850 barrels and netted \$1,500. A Vermont man gets 6,000 barrels of Rhode Island Greenings off of 100 acres, and sells turn for better than \$20,000. He has refused \$50,000 for his farm and no wonder. But a Rhode Island man goes Vermont several better, so far as money is concerned, as he gets 2,000 barrels of Greenings off of 40 acres, and sells them for from \$6 to \$5 per barrelie has a cold-atorage plant and keeps

tils apples for the top-notch market. A Maine man bought a near abaudoud farm for \$650 and in two years sold one apple crop for \$2,000. These trees were last the pusture, and were not considered as worth acythlog. A New Hampshife man with 553 trees sold \$8,000 worth of apples during three years, practically all of this owing to pruning and spraying the trees he an eld, orcherd. A Maine man took hold of a tree over 100 years old, 20 feet in circumference, pruned, aprayed and qualted it, and gets 20 barrels of fine full thought for \$325 a year, and the teamit gave it up because the could not afford to pay the rent. Another man took it,

gave it up because he could not afford to pay the rent. Another man look it, and sells his apple crop, on the trees, for three times the former rent.

A man bright a Vermont farm with a 160-acre orchard, with about \$3,000. Trees. This was a "fancy" farm, recknowld worth \$30,000. The new owner quickly made it earn big interest on live times that valuation, and within a few years of buying had refused \$100,000 for it. This reminds me of the more or less well known Connecticut man winds said to have refused a mither to the farm. of the the said to have refused a mither to the farm, of the the said to have refused as mither for the farm, of the the he are man win je wat to not which he ac-nually takes a gross income of about \$35,000. One of his crops is apples; the others are sheep (or rather lambs), hay not peacher. A man in central Managouncity, who has been a peach Messaculisetts, who has been a peach specialist, has gone into applie. When his 60 acredictant was 7 years old he gut \$6,000 for the fruit, some of the trees yielding four barrels. This is a very "sall" story, but it is sticity true, vouched for by one of the Amberst "Aggy" professors. The apples were fancy varieties, and packed and cold as faucy fruit. A vermont mad cause into possession of an order of 50 years old, on a rocky billeide that had never been plowed. Practug and years oft, on a rousy intender that had more been plowed. Printing and suraying brought the yield up to \$10,-500 bushels of perfect fruit, over 90 per ceut. No. I stoom, that was sold to New York for more than \$12,000, in Massachusetts a couple of years ago there was a contest for the best served annies, and the winger showed.

sgo there was a contest for the best acre of apples, and the wholes showed 227 carries that sold for \$715, with a net profit of \$520. There is plenty of land in New England as good as this for apples that can be bought for \$100 an acre; yes, there is plenty that can be bought for \$100 an acre; yes, there is plenty that can be bought for \$25 an acre. I know one farm, aimost acanoned, that is one of the very heat catter in the farms in the whole of New England that can be bought for a very simil sum. It would make an energonic young man right in twenty years.

A Learned Verdict.

The failroad train was rather dimly the values train was rather dimly lit and one of the passengers after haveling tried to vain to inspect his face in the washroom mirror, through the little

the washtoon in the transaction to the Pul-niau car.
"See here, Ratua," he said, "I want-your opinion in a matter of importance. Just come with me over to the window, and, after having carefully lunpeding my face, tell me whether or not you turnk I need a snave."
The old darkey compiled with his request and immediately rendered judg-

"Wast, sub," be said, with his head "Was!, sub," he said, with his head cocked to one side, "in respect to de shave, sab, an should eay that it all depends on what yo' intend doin' with yo' ohn; sub; Ef yo're just gwine off distrain to use yo' ohn fo' talkin' yo' don't need no shavin' at all, eath, but of yo're gwine a-courth: yo' fiest gal, sub, an sorier think an'd remove some o' dem eplintalis from yo' chin an' yo' cheek befo' day done soratch somebody, sub,"—Harper's Weekly.

Asklug a Favor.

"Can I believe my eyes!" exclaimed Mr. Timkins as he controuted the burglar. Mr. Timkins had been sent down in the middle of the neight to investigate a strange noise, which proved to be the family silver in process of percharge.

packing up.

The burglar reached for his gue, but Mr. Tinkins grabbed the hand instead.

"Don't," he said, giving the hand a cordial shake, "you don't know how much I'm interested to you. Bitay while. I want you to meet Mrs. Tim-

"While you're calling a cop! Not on your life? retorted the burglar.
"No," and Mr. Timkins. 'I just want you to stay while I call my wife. Buc's heard you at work every night for 20 years, an I this is the first chance she's ever had to see you! — New York Wanter Post. Evening Post.

Worked the Other Way,

A very old Irishman one day actorished a friend by announcing he was about to get married.

"Married!" exclaimed his friend.
"An old man like you!"

"Wil, ye see," the old man explained, it's jist because I'm getting an ould bloop now. 'Pre a fatte thing, Pat, to have a wife near ye to close the eyes of ye when ye come to the end,"
"Arrah, now, ye ould fule!" exclaimed Pat, "don't be so foolish. What do you know about it. Cluse yer eyes, indade. I've have had a couple o' thim an' falth, they both o' them opened mine."—Pittaburgh Pest.

Needless Alarm.

An old German farmer cutered the office of a wholesale druggist one morning and addressed the proprietor.
"Mater Becker, I had de schmali-

"Merciful heavens, Mr. Jacobs," ex-claimed Hecker, as the office force strambled over each other in their burry to get out, "don't come any, nearer!"

nearer!!'
"You's der madder mit you fellers,
auyhow!!' quietly replied Jacobs, "i
ssy I hafe der schmail pox of butter
out in mine wagon vot der Mrs. Becker
ortered las' week aiready."

Wonderful Clairvoyancy,

A negro, having won's dollar at a crap game, decided to spend it on having his fortune told. The fortune teller led him into a gloomy room with dirty haugings and misty red lights, blie took his paim, traced it with a dollar, spread out her cards, and then said:

"You are very fond of music; you like chicken; you have won money at craps, and you have been in julk."
"Mah goodness, lady; why you jeet tead mah inmost thoughts."

Bix—Jones says he gives employ-ment to a large number of men. Dix—So he does—other people's cullectora.

that some fiction is published.

Truth is not stranger than the fact

President Howard Elliott.

Mr. Howard Eillott, President-elect of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Raifroad Company, who is to assume his duties on September 1st, the stockholders of the Road, held at New Haven on August 22, said:
"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentleman, Stockholders of The New York, New Haven and Hartford Raifroad Company: I am not yet an officer of your Company, although I was elected a director a few weeks ago pending the time when I will become your officer and your servant.

with which is with become your officer and your servant,

"On and after September first I shall come to New Haven and take off my coat and go to work. I shall endeayor to perfect an organization, if one does not already exist, that will aftend closely to all of the details that are as interesting to your as compare, and to the not already exist, that will attend closely to sill of the details that are so important to you as owners and to the public that the railroad server. Little matters such as those mentioned by our good friend Mr. Davis should be attended to, and yet you probably do not realize the sourmone amount of detail connected with a road the size of the New York, New Haven sud Hartford Railroad. The engines of the New Haven Road every day run 120,000 fulles, or five times around the earth. It means a great deal of attention to have every little detail attended to, but we will try to do it and we will try to see that the sorap is plosed up and either sold, or, as is sometimes the case, it is ensaper to bury it rather than to pay the labor cost of moying it.

"I listened with great interest to what Mr. Hiller said about the stockholders. I am told there are nearly twenty-five thousand stockholders of company and they have a duty and they can exert as influence themselves to help the management of this company, because directors and officers of late years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and to the public. We have had to meet increased cost of labor, here exacted the constraint and officers of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and others of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and others of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and others of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and others of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do their duty to the eyeners and others of hate years have oven sorally heart in trying to do the sorally the exercise of the eventual to meet increased cost of labor, here facilities. At of that here considered an exchange of the exercise of

one people for better facilities. All of that has created a problem tout is most difficult to solve because there are only one hundred tents in a railroad dellar, just the same as in any other doller. But it will be my aim to see that every dollar received into this company's treasury, whether from earnings for service performed, or from advances by stocknoklers, or from losins from others in a commission to the creater areas. seconomers, or non-town from others is expended with the greatest care, with the greatest care, with the greatest prudence, and that the railroad will be managed holely with the idea of economy and efflorency with the slighted your interests, but only now but to the fature, because the railroad base got togo on forever; and if it should handal that it when to tree. it should happen that in trying to protect your future there is some distur-

tect your future there is some disturbance for the present, that is something to be patient about.

"The stockholders can do great deal of good, each one of them to their own circle, in trying to present to their legistators, to their members of congress, to momests of commissions and to all who go to work to make the different laws under whom the railroad is trying to operate—the stockholders can do good by pointing out that there are two sides in this question and that the side of the by pointing out that there are two sides to time question and that the side of the stockholders must not be lost sight of in considering the question and in making demands upon the railroad that the officers and directors are most anxious to meet if they can; but they are torn betweed the force of trying to protect the stockholders and trying to give the public what they need and should have. But you can do much should by using your influence, each one of you, in your crede to print out both sides of this question.

of you, in your cases on pint our both sides of this question.

"I am very glad—although I am not an officer of this company—to have had the chance to say these flow words and I can assure you that at the next meeting of the etoogholders, hold some-time in Ontober, if there is not a room large enough in the New Haven cill-ces to receive you wo will find one somewhere, where you can say what you want said where the officers of the company will try-to tell you to the bast of their solity what you desire to know. I thank you very much." of tuete

Subtraction.

The teacher was hearing the youthful class in mathematics.
"Now," he eath, "to order to subtract, things have to be in the same denomination. For instance, we couldn't take three pears from four peaches, not eight horses from 16 cents. D) you understand?"

There was assent from the majority of pupils. One little boy in the rear raised a timed hand,

raised a third hand,
"'Well, Booby, what is the asked
the teacher,
"Please, teacher," said Bobby,
"couldn't you take three quarts of milk
from two cows,"—Naw York Evening

Post.

Mist. Winstow's Southing Synty has been used by millions of mothers for their children while techning. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a size child suffering and crylog with pain of Cutting. Techn send at once and get bottle of "birs. Winslow's Southing Syrup" for Children Tecthing. It will relieve the poor fittle suffers: immediately. Depend upon it nothers, titer is no nisitake about it. It cures Dirrathoea, regulacts, the biomach and Sowies, cures Winu Colic, soltens the Guns, reduces Indianumation, and gives tone and energy to the whole, system. "birs. Winslow's soothing Syrup' for the strength of the country of the control of the presence of the country of the country of the property of the country of the country of the property of the country of the property of the country of the property of the property of the country of the property of the country of the country of the country of the country of the sure and east for "Mass, Winstow's Soothing Syrup." Guaranteed under the Food and Brigs Act, June Site, 1878. derial number 1875.

Whisper to yourself when you have occa.

Something that will quiet the nerves, give alreagh to the body, induce refreshing aleap improve the quality of the blood, each parify and brighten the complexion, is what many persons would be very glad to obtain. Carter's from Phile are made for exactly this class of troubles, and are remarkably successful in accomplishing the ends desired, as named above. They are useful for both men and women. Price, 50 cents a tax.

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The diplomatic flat dweller calls the jan't lior the superintendent.

A man's wit sheeld always be the same especially to bur husband, but if she is weak and no evous and usos Carlor's Iron Pilit, she said no vous and usos Carlor's Iron Pilit, she rout person" to they all ray, and their husbands say to, too!

Mosquitoes seems to be freshied with chronic insomis.

To get relial from ladiceston, bitiousness, constitution or torpid liver without disturbing the atomical or purging the bowels, take a few does of Carter's little Liver Phils, they will please you.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

All Sorts, .

For marriage and poker.
There rous no old saw;
Of course you have heard it;
"I've all in the draw,"
—Detrois Free Press.

"Do I take this steamer to Boston?" I were you."-Baltimore American.

icitty. bir. Huggins asked me to alt in the nammock with him last night. What do you think?

Matte. I think you got in.

"What sort of a tablet shall be erect-el over your grave when you are goue?" they saked of the man who had long suffered. "Well," said the cheerful vicilm of stomach trouble, "I think a dyapepala tablet would be an appropriate as any."

"Mai Ma?" surfaced Willie, "do my ears ucloug to my neek or my face?" "Way, what's the matter?" was the

temporizing reply,
"'Yell, you to! Mary to wash ny
face and seb's washing my ears, too!"
— dacred Meart Review,

"Doelor, I wan't you to look after my oillow mite I'm on my vacation."
"But I're jout graduated, doelor. I have the due experience."
"Tout's all right, my ooy. My practice is tricely fashionable, Fell the men to play golf and ship the woman off to Atlantic City."

Dar's silus sumpin' skeery A-loomin' up each day,

If you am't affaid of sunstoke,

Dat's a frostbite on de way.

-Washington Star.

"White the matter?"

"Ally wife found a latter to my pook-et."
"I see. One you had forgatten to mail. "No; one I had forgotten to burn."

"Are you sure that young man lives your" asked the causions mother.
"Yes," replied Gwendolyn.
"Have you enug, played, recited and painted in water colors for him?"

"Then, my chill, if he still desires to marry you, no not donot his affection," —Washington Stat.

A Brotiman while viewing a status

A Bootman while worming a strate of George Washington was approximed by an interested American, "from you'll agree with me, sir," said the American, "frost he was a great and good man. A lie never passed his lips."

"Yeed," said his Scot, "I suppose the talket through his months that the transfer.

pa talken throndir nia unto jine ena care

Edua. Weat do you think of these engents wendings?
Edito. I'd rather marry one of those rien old fellows with only pus lung.-

Crawford—Why don't you try jolly-ing your wife a fittle? It's easy to tell her sho's looking young and more

beautiful every day.

Crawshaw—I tried that once and she nalled me for money to have net picture taken.—Judge. Peter, Peter, pumpkin eater, riad a wife and couldn't keep her;

Even in a Loudon cell

They couldn't keep her very well,

-- Cornell Widow "You say she was inappropriately

attired?" attired?"
"Yus," replied Miss Cayenne. "She
wore her afternoon annours instead of
her after 6 o'clock camplexton,"....
Washington Star.

The bondly women would put a natter face on the situation if sue were able. -Philadelphia Record. Should the electricians strike, would the lights go out in sympathy?—Punk-

delpuis Record. A man entered a drug store in a

A man entered a drug store in a burry and asked for a dozan of two-grain quintee pills.

"Shall I put 'em in a box, sir?" the clerk asked, as he counted them out, "Sore," replied the obstoner. "Do you tunk I'm going to foll them home."—Exchange.

Willio-Paw, what is the difference between firmness and obstinacy?

Paw—Merely a matter of sex, my
son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The soda clerk may be recognized by his phiz.—Philadelphia Record.

Miss Nuberly-riow long were you in attendance on Mrs. duith before and died?

Woung M. D.—Fourteen mouths, Miss Naberly—Dast me, the old lady must have had wonderful virginy.—

Her which is slit up to her kniss, 'The made of stuff you might see through Aud when the wind blows her way, gee, I blush for shame and for her, 100. Onicago Record-Herald,

Willie-Paw, what is a pound party? Paw-Agiri was is learning to play the plane, my sou. Checkman Eq.

"Is the man your sleter is goldg to

marry tith?
"Naw, every time the marriage is "Naw, every time the marriage is "Poor man!" Bouston Post.

"Don't talk yourself up too much," asys the Mausyuus philosopher. "A hen will cackle more over laying one egg than a shall will over a million.". Philadeiphia Record.

Young Lady-No, mammy; I have no hear, I guess I'm to be an old maid. old Mammy—Well, honey, day may

dem is happiest of all-ouce day quite strugglin, -Pack. "This parcel post is a great thing."
"Yes, it is going to make it mighty

handy for my daughter to send frome clothes this summer for her mother to wash.—Washloglon Metald. Schoolmistress—Now, tell me the truth, Johnny Jones. You know what will happen if you tell a lie, don't you? Johnny Jones—Yes, maken; I'll go to a bad place. Schoolmistress,—Yes, and that in't tue worst of it. You'll also be expelled from school.

"Whom do you consider the most fin

"Myhom do you consider the most made steele giel in our set,"
"Sibyl Summergirl, by all odds! She gets out of a hammock without first directing the attention of the man to some object in the distance.

"Didn't I hear you fire something at that yowing cat early this morning?"
"Yes; I threw the confounded slarm clock at R."

"Hit the beast?" "No, but I got rid of the alarm clock."—Boston Franscript.

"Don't you think every one aught to look for the good in the world?"
"Yes, But instead of looking for the good they seem to be looking for the good things."--Houston Past.

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NOTES.

An Interesting Letter from an Active Participant.

BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE—The following letter was written by Capt. William V. Taylor, of Newport, R. I. who was walling mister on the Lawrence at the time of Perry's victory. Written only about a month' after the battle, the description is particularly valuable to students of that period, Capt. Taylor was the father of Capt. William Rogers Taylor, also of Newport. Taylor was the father of Capt. William Rogers Taylor, also of Newport. The letter was written to Capt. Taylor's brother Stephen, and the original is still in the hands of his descendante, in Middlebro, Mais, who kindly copied it for the archives of the Newport Historical Socity.—E.M. T. Enne, Oct. 17, 1818.

Dear. Stephen—I have received your welcome letter from Newport & have observed with fues brotherly affection kindly excused me for my neglect, although it was in some measure correct, for since I have been devoted to public service, not only from inclination in service, not only from inclination to serve qua of the best & bravest of men, but in a great measure from necessity as we have had few; officers on the station & many of them very young & consequently the duty fell very heavy for tid.

You wish a correct statement of libs BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE-The follow

To mid.

You wish a correct statement of the battle. At daylight on the forth Sept. at suctor in Poult-Bay we saw the British Squauron working to windward & toward us. We made the signal immediately to get under way, which was promptly compiled with We took advantage of the wind & the state of the wind with the same to sain the weather gaine. At which was promptly compiled with. We took advaplage of the whad & turned out to windward of Shake leland to gain the weather gauge. At about 3 a. m. weather'd away the 1shaid, bore up to two for the enemy. Winds light, they observing we had gain'd the wind of them, handed up their [word litegible] top G sails & most gallaully waited our approach in line of battle, confident of success as they have sluce stated. Just before the action commenced Capt. Parry produced a flag with these emphanical Words on it in capital letters—BON'! GIVE UP. THE SHIP, the dying words of the brave Lawrence, & asked the men if no hoisted it would they support it, they susword him, with three rousing elicers. At 15 minutes before 12 they commenced thing at us from the Detroit a flue new ship mounting long 24's, 18's, 21's, A our camnonade would not take affect at this distance we endeavour'd to close with-them has quick. As possible, At 12' opened our broadside ou them, we besing the leading vessel & flagsilp. They were determined as they have since said to slak us, they hearly accomplish'd their purpose for when within short distance they opened a most tremendous & destructive fire on us from all their heaviest yeasels. We sustained their fire 21 hours, the Lawrence at this time presenting a picture too horseld for description, nearly the whole crew officers & all prostrated on the deck, intermixed with broken apars, rigging, sails & to fact one confused heap of horter rulus. Some of the guns were man'd three dilutent times in action.

Capt Perry finding he could not fire another gun or anoty the enemy in any shape from the Lawrence, he determined to leave her. He took down his private flag and bore it trium phantly to the Niegara and showers of round, grape, canniter & musketry— I say trium phantly, for he must have been conscious no vessel recorded in the annals of navab bisnoy ever was found.

congoins no vesses recorded in the allmain of naval bistory ever was fought
better or more obstitutely defended,
few indeed remaining unbludged &
those few employ'd about the magazine & cockpit. When Capt. Perry got
on board the Nisgera and had not a
man either kill'd or wounded. He immediately made sail and carried her into action, directing Capt. Elinot to
bring up the small vessels & then indeed it was a proud moment for an
American to see our gallant commander breaking through the enemy's libe
and forcing our frond for to yield to
American skill & bravery. Not a versel
escaped to tell the late. I had forgot
to inform you that abortly after Capt. and forcing our proud for to yield to American skill & bravery. Not a versel escaped to fell the tale. I had forgot to inform you that shortly after Capt. Perry got on board the Niavers we on board the Lawrence fluding that we could not make any relatance to the enemy, fire still gailing, we concluded from principles of humanity to haul down our colours & save the little remnant of our brave crew. Why we suffered so much and the Niagara & several other vessels so little or none will be a subject for your private tar, suffice it to say that it was a proud day for Rhode Island. L. Tortier, a brother of the Luctor's, as susbled to get his vessel into action although one of the dolest in the fieet. I had rather fight the best frigate in the British army the same length of time with the Lawrence than to fight the same battle over again. The British mounted 10 guos more than we do had 200 men more. I can say that I have been mose of the hatdest battles ever fought on the hardest battles ever fought on the

water.

The lend about this country is becoming valuable, it is certainly a rich soil & from wild land to clear'd farms it can be purchased from 2 dollars to 12 can be purchased from 2 dollars to 12 per acre & the best informed people say that it will double in value in 5 years. The country is full of mill streams. Pittsburg is becoming an immeure place from its many local advantages, two rich rivers water the town & forming the Ohio at the lower part of the place, this inexhaustible supply surrounding the town, property has risen from \$500 to \$20000 in fifteen years, it is a manufacturing place & supplies all the western country.

I shall be at home are long & can give

you more information. Give my love to Sally & Wm., Mary and Jonathan Card, Su-an & Hannah Weaver & all our relations and behave me to be in reality,

Your Brother WM, V. TAYLOR,

HULL-Family Record (aken from Merioto Hull's Bible (Bordick). BIRTHE.

Jonathan Burdick sau of Simon and Janel Burdick of Westerly was boru Bept. 26, 1767.

Busesina wife of Jonathan and daugu-

ter of febabod and Bushelian and unggi-ter of febabod and Bushelian Burdick of Charlestown was born Nov. 3, 1769. Stephen Burdick, their tiest son was

Stephen Burdick, their that sou was born April 18, 1789.

Adam Burdick, their second son was born Jav, 15, 1791.

Bashsteta Burdick, their second son was born Jav, 15, 1791.

Bashsteta Burdick, their second daughter was born Feb. 27, 1793.

Isabel Burdick, their second daughter was born July 5, 1795.

Enos P. Burdick, their third son was born Aug. 7, 1797.

Ray Burdick, their fourth son was born March 18, 1800.

Maria Burdick, their third daughter was born March 7, 1802.

Jouathau T. Burdick, their fifth son was born Nov. 15, 1803.

Eliza Burdick, their fourth daughter was born Sept. 11, 1805.

Susan Burdick, their lifth daughter was born Sept. 11, 1805.

Lydia Burdick, their sixth daughter was born Burdick, their sixth daughter was born Feb. 16, 1811.

MARRIAGES

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Stephen Burdick was married to Menbalt Hull, October 18, 1810.

STEPHEN BURDICK FAMILY. BIRTHS

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Meribath Burdlek wife of Stephen Burdlek and daughter of Samuel and Mary Hull was birn March 15, 1759.

1. Mary Burdlek their daughter was born Sept. 26, 1841.

2. Hannah Burdlek their daughter was born July 15, 1818.

3. Ablgail Burdlek their daughter was born July 25, 1816.

4. Stephen Saunders Burdlek their eon was born Dec. 22, 1816.

Hannah Hull second wife of Samuel died May 22, 1788 (50 yrs, old).

Samuel Hull married to third wife Mary Dookry, Dec. 27, 1787.

Mary Milkey born Jan. 19, 1751.

Hannah Hull died Hilt of Sept. 1708.

Gideon Hull died Sept. 18, 1797.

Bamuel Holl died Aug. 1, 1814.

Geo. Fitch married Sam Lillihidge Sept. 2, 1720 at New port.

Nouis Fitch born Get. 24, 1726.

Phebe died Marga 16, 1897 evidently married someone by anne of Doun etc. Geo. Fitch married Sarah Peabody widow of Wilhau Peabody daughter Nathaulel Sueffield — N. F. O.

Querles.

7413. COOK-Maty Cook, born 1878; married 1699, James Barker, of Newport, R. I. Who were her parents?--N. C.

7444. HALL.-Zurial Hall, Portsmouth, R. I., dieu 1691, leaving widow Elizabeth. Who were her parents?-C. M.

7445. BOTTS-Issao Botts, Kitters, Maine,, died about 1678, leaving widow Elizabeth. Who were patents of both?

7448. ADAMS - Mary Adams, mar-ried 1646, George Faltonaks of Med-field, Mass. Who were her parents?

7447. ARNOLD—"Stephen Arnold, of Capty Edward, of Crotton, and Rhoda Rice, of Capty Estudie, of Warwick Rhoda Rice, of Capt, Raudall, of Warwick Records). I would like the accestry of this Stephen Arnold. He was a first settler in Craredon, Vt., 35 was also Oliver Arnold, supposed to be his brother. I should therefore like a record of the children of Captain Edward. The wife of Oliver was Einathan, and probably a sister of Stephen's wife, as there was an Eloathan Rice wife, as there was an Eloathan Creen, this last being the cause of Elnathan Rice's mother. Can say one find the record of Oliver's marriage,— G. E. C.

The Battle of Lake Erie.

[From a Canadian Magazine.]

September 10 .- The struggle for the control of Lake Eric, which was to de-cide the fate of Micrigan, if not that of Upper Canada, came to a decisive issue in the battle that took place on the tenth of September, 1818, between the tenth of September, 1818, between a British fleet of six vessels under Captain Barelay and the enemy's fleet of sine sail under Lieutenant Perry. The difference in effective force was not quite so great as the number of ships would imply; and the recit was in doubt until an unfortunate collision between the two largest vessels of the British equadron put them at a disadvantage. The direction of the wind, always an important factoriu a naysi engagement in those days, was in favour of the enemy. Captain Barcay himself was wounded early in the fight, and, before the battle was over, all the British officers commanding vessels and their seconds in command were either killed or so severely wounded as to be unable to keep the deex. There were but fifty experienced seaman in the crows. After soutbornly resteting for two hours and a half, four, of the British ships surrendered; the other two were captured in trying to make their escape.

Perry, whose commission at a captain happened to be dated on the very day of the battle of Lake Erie, is regarded by his country men as two here of the contest; but, when his flag-ship was disabled and defeat seemed near, he had our doubt, and by his own personal bray. à British fleet of six vessels under Cap-

contest; but, when his flag-blip was disabled and defeat seemed near, he had boarded another vessel to continue the combat, and by his own personal bravery and skill had succeeded in turning the impending defeat lato the first important victory of the war.

Our neighbors across the line are holding a series of criebrations in honour of Perry's excess. We can join with them in acknowledging that he deserves the honour; yet Bacciay's defeat brought with It no disgrace. 'Our father with one strop!' as he was affectionately called by the Indians, (for he had lost an arm fighting unfer Nelson at the battle of Irasfalgar,) was fully and honourably acquitted of blame for the loss of his first. He had made the best of his limited resources, and only yielded to singularly adverse circumstances and superior force. The loss of Detroit, which immediately followed, was the inevitable result.

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breach of the conditions of said morigage
and for the purpose of foreclosing the same,
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at 18 °Clock a. m.,
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Treasurer and Manager.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of August, 1918.
Rotery Public,
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Probate Court of the city of Newport, August 11th, 1918.

Estate of Ellen Peters.

MARY O. HICHARDSON, Administratrix of the centre of Ellen Peters, late of said Newport, deceased, presents her first and final account with the estate of said deceased, tor allowance, which account contains a claim of the administratrix; and the same is received, and referred to the Second day of September next at ten o'ctook, a.m., at the Probate Court Room, in said. Newport, for consideration, and it is ordered that notice thereof be published to fourteen days, once a yeek in the Newport Mercury.

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THE UNDERSIGNED, Executor of the last
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and has given bond according to law.
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the office of the cieck of said court within six
months from the date of the first neverties
ment borcof.

8-16-3w ELLEN T. MAHON:

Probate Court of the Town of New Shoreham, R. I., August 4, 1918.
Estate of Macy A. Ball.

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